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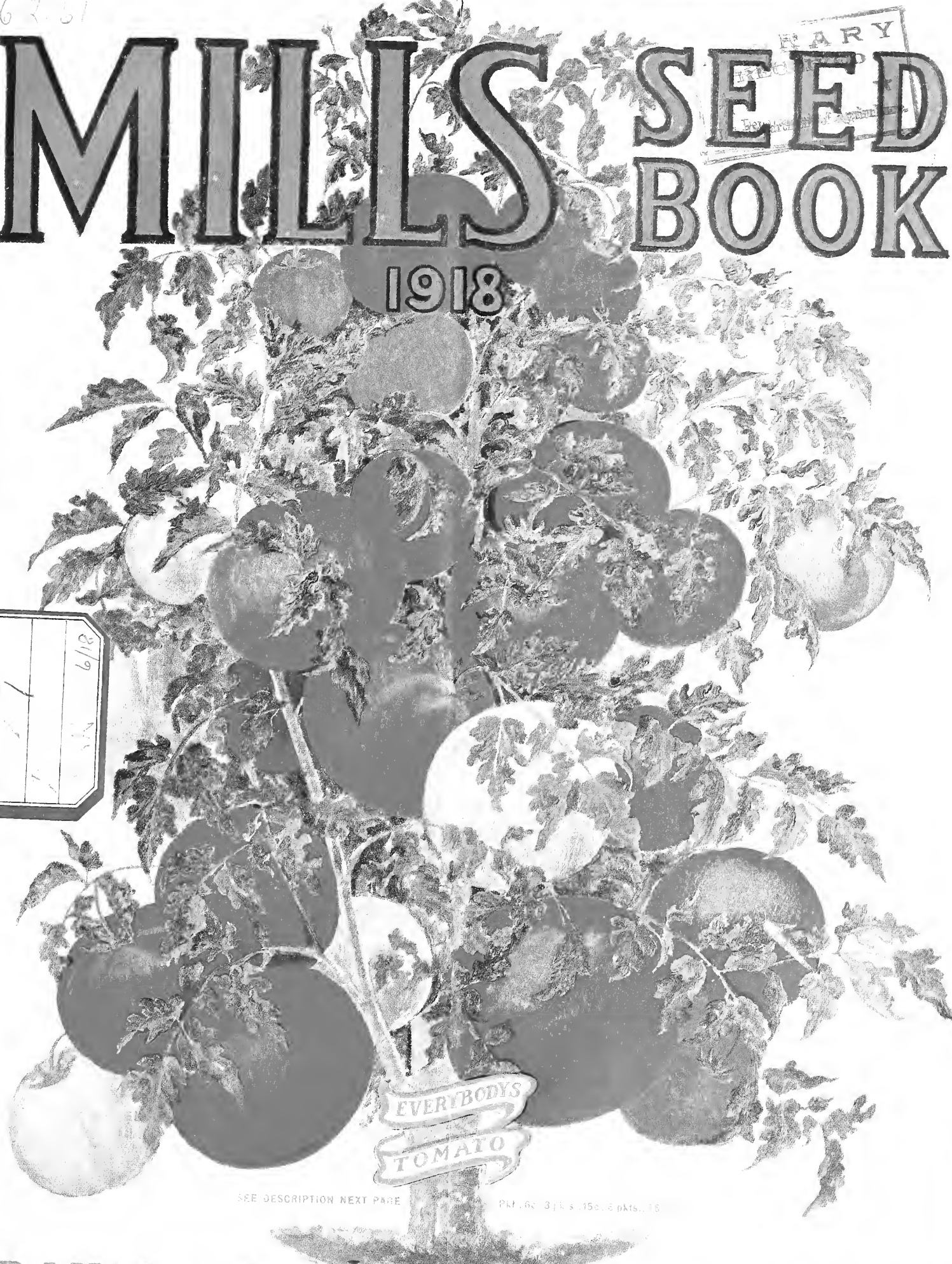


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F. B. MILLS, Seed Grower, ROSE HILL, N.Y.



# High-Grade GARDEN SEEDS My Specialty

From Grower to Planter

F. B. MILLS, Seed Grower, ROSE HILL, N. Y.

## A FEW PERSONAL WORDS:—

Again I am permitted to present you my annual **Seed Book** and if you want **High-Grade Garden Seeds** I can supply you at very low prices for **Tested Seeds**.

A great many seeds will be scarce and hard to get this year even at greatly increased prices, but I have harvested good crops of nearly all the leading varieties and expect to have enough for my customers.

The whole country has suddenly awakened to the profit, pleasure and advantage of gardening. Hundreds of thousands of people in villages and cities where a few feet of ground is available have found it pays to raise at least a portion of their vegetables for home use during these times of high prices. It requires only a small amount of space to produce an abundant supply of Beets, Cabbage, Carrots, Cucumbers, Cantaloupe, Lettuce, Onions, Parsnips, Spinach, Peppers, Radishes, Tomatoes, Turnips, etc., and the seeds for planting cost but very little.

My **Seed Packets** are all well filled with **Tested Seeds** and the regular price of nearly all is 5 cents each, but if 3 packets are ordered, they cost 10 cents, or  $3\frac{1}{3}$  cents each, and if 6 packets are wanted, the price is 18 cents, or 3 cents per packet, all delivered to you postpaid. At these prices anyone can plant a garden. I have excellent facilities to put up and send out millions of packets of these seeds. My motto is, "From Grower to Planter."

I do not require as large a **Seed Book** as many on account of making only **Garden Seeds** my Specialty and owing to my location I do not have the large expenses of the city, all of which is a great saving, and I am able to keep my selling expenses low and sell my seeds at lowest prices. Owing to the enormous demand there will be for seeds this year, I wish to impress upon all the importance of ordering as early as possible to be sure to get what is wanted for spring planting.

Look this **Seed Book** through carefully and I know you will find what you want and my prices will save you money. It costs more to grow seeds these times and for this reason I am compelled to advance prices a very little on some kinds, but I have figured to keep prices as low as possible. A few dollars expended on seeds this spring ought to give you surprising results.

I shall appreciate your calling the attention of your friends to this **Seed Book** (extra copies mailed free) and assure you all orders will have my prompt and careful attention.

Faithfully yours, *F. B. Mills*

31 YEARS IN THE BUSINESS

## ORDERING MADE EASY

**HOW TO ORDER.**—It is very easy for anyone to order **Seeds** or **Plants** from me. In making out an order always write **Name, Post-Office, R. F. D. and Box, County and State**, the first thing you do, and then write the varieties you want, quantity of each and carry out the price after each one and enclose the total amount in any convenient form of remittance and send it to me by mail and I will do the rest. **Be sure to use my Order Sheet** if you have it.

**FREE BY MAIL.**—I send **Seeds** or **Plants** postpaid by mail at the postpaid prices named in this **Seed Book**, except where there are special quotations for the seeds or plants to be sent by Express, customers to pay the express charges. This brings my seeds to the door of my customers without any trouble and expense.

**I GUARANTEE** that every package I send out shall reach its destination in good condition, and that everything shall be received as ordered, and if not I must be notified at once. If a package is lost, or any of its contents injured on the way, I will send again.

**FORWARD MONEY** with the order, and at my risk, when sent by Post-Office Money Order on Rose Hill, N. Y.; bills or coin, by Registered Letter; Bank Draft or Express Company's Money Order. Post-Office Money Orders are the cheapest and the safest method for remitting. I earnestly request my patrons to remit by Money Order if possible.

**STAMPS AND COIN.**—Do not send postage stamps in payment for goods if it can be avoided. The loss is great on account of being obliged to find buyers. Coin, when sent in letters, should be sewed or pasted up in strong paper or cloth, to prevent its breaking through the envelope. **I will not be responsible for coin sent me except in Registered Letter, nor for Stamps.**

## LEAFLETS ON CULTURE FREE WITH ORDER

I have prepared several **Leaflets on Culture**, as listed below, which I will mail free with your order if you mention which ones you wish when sending the order:

**HOW TO GROW BEANS.**  
**HOW TO GROW BEETS.**  
**HOW TO GROW CABBAGE AND CAULIFLOWER.**  
**HOW TO GROW ONIONS FROM SEED.**  
**MELON CULTURE.**  
**TOMATO CULTURE.**  
**INSECT PESTS IN THE GARDEN.**

Our interests are really mutual—Your success is my success—I want to help you all I can, for I want you to have the finest garden in your neighborhood by planting **Mills Seeds**.

**MY GUARANTEE.**—I sell tested seeds—you get the best that money can buy. Should failure result from any fault of the seed, you can have the seed refilled. **Seeds** and **Plants** are subject to climatic and other conditions of which I have no control, after once being placed in the ground, therefore can give no warranty, express or implied, as to description, quality, productivity or any other matter of any seeds or plants I send out and I will not in any way be responsible for the crop, and every order for articles named in this **Seed Book** will be executed on these conditions only. If the purchaser does not accept same on these terms, they are at once to be returned.

## EVERYBODY'S TOMATO—See Front Cover. Do Not Fail to Try It

Experimenting with and growing Tomatoes has been one of my specialties for the past thirty years, and I have introduced some very valuable varieties.

This year I am pleased to offer what I believe will prove one of the best I have yet introduced, which I call "*Everybody's*." The reason why I have given it this name is because I think it should be grown in every garden throughout the country, whether in the village, city or rural districts. This tomato grows a very vigorous, stiff, upright plant, producing fruit well above the ground, as shown on the plant painted on the front cover. The fruit is produced in great abundance, the color

being a purplish pink, and is always round, smooth and symmetrical medium size, while the quality is the very best. The dark-green wrinkled leaves are very striking in appearance and the plants readily distinguished from other tomatoes. It is one of the earliest in its class and I believe will be called a money-maker wherever grown. It is just the tomato for a small home garden where only a few plants are wanted, or it is good to grow for market. Do not fail to order at least a packet of this seed and grow a *Tomato* that will be the wonder of your neighborhood.

Price of Seed, per pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c; 6 pkts., 25c.



High-Grade Garden Seeds My Specialty — They are All Tested and Tried before Being Sent Out

**THIS IS MY NOVELTY PAGE:** I Offer a Few Interesting Novelties YOU Should Try in YOUR GARDEN This Year. Any One of Them Will Interest You.

## The Home Tomato

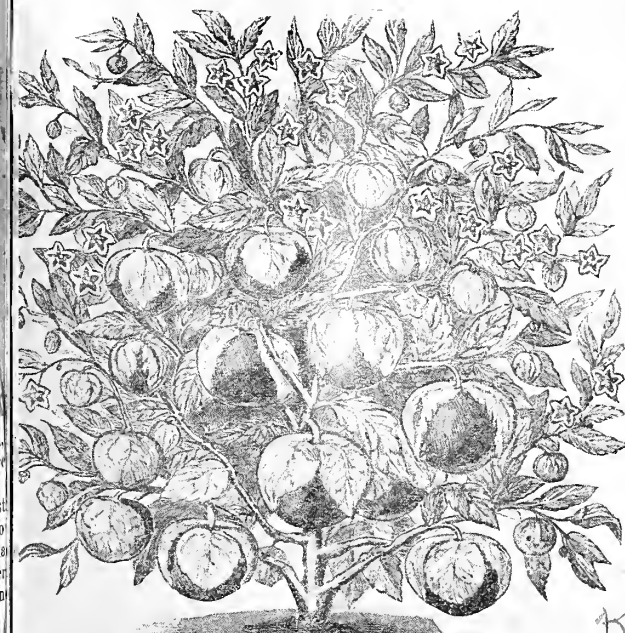


Walton and One Plant of Home Tomato Trimmed to Fit the Trellis. Mr. Walton Counted 360 Tomatoes above the Size of a Walnut.

This is a very interesting Tomato and I am furnished the following description by the introducers:

**History of the Home Tomato.** — "We are indebted to A. Brandenberger for calling our attention to this wonderful tomato. It was distinct one plant grew far ahead of all the others. It was distinct in having large foliage. Mr. Brandenberger set it four-inch pot, and when only eight inches high, it blossomed, when twelve inches high, these blossoms developed three shaped tomatoes. This plant was exhibited as a curiosity, as transplanted to the ground and grew to cover an area of ten feet in diameter, loaded with tomatoes. In order to keep Mr. Brandenberger propagated from cuttings off the original. The picture shows one of these cuttings grown by Mr. Walton, who is pictured with the plant. This plant was pruned to the trellis, yet Mr. Walton counted 360 tomatoes above a cut in size. Therefore we termed it the **Home Tomato**, on account of its earliness, delicious flavor, nearly round, smooth shape, meat and productiveness. Just the tomato for a home garden where it can be trellised when space is limited. I want my customers to try this novelty.

Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c.



Mammoth Fruited Ground Cherry.

## Hybridized Potato Seeds

FROM THE SEED BALLS—THE RAREST OF SEEDS

Millions never saw a Potato Seed Ball. Thousands have tried in vain to get the seed. Now is your opportunity. This unrivaled seed will produce an endless variety of new kinds. Your fortune may be in one of them. They are as easy to grow as tomatoes.

Growing new and distinct Seedling Potatoes from the Seed-Ball Seed is intensely interesting. They will be the greatest curiosity of your garden. This seed will positively produce innumerable new kinds, colors, shapes, sizes and quantities. The product will astonish you. Some may be of immense value and bring you a golden harvest. Every farmer, gardener, and bright boy should plant a few packets. You may be one of the lucky ones. Full directions on every packet.

Thousands of Dollars have been Made producing new varieties of potatoes. Who knows but you may do as well? Is it not worth a trial? New creations of merit bring rich returns and 'tis the enterprising experimenter that reaps the honor and the golden harvest and he is worthy of his reward. Encourage your boy to try. Nothing would interest or benefit him more.

### Read These Extracts from Customers' Letters

"I grew 101 Potatoes from one plant of your Potato Seed. Every plant was a different variety."—Mrs. Ellen Keener.

"I raised 50 Hills from one Packet; many kinds and colors; some early, some late. 94 Potatoes in one hill."—J. H. Skinner.

"Your remarkable Potato Seed produced white, pink, red, purple, blue, cream, russet and black potatoes."—W. M. Johnson.

"Your Potato Seed is a wonder. I grew 115 different varieties from one Packet—the finest I ever saw."—C. E. Flint.

"I grew 45 pounds of Seedling Potatoes from one Packet. I expect wonders from them next year."—Thomas Lucas.

"The Packet of Hybridized Potato Seed brought splendid results, some potatoes growing over half the natural size. I transplanted 15 hills. Every hill produced different kinds of potatoes. Some hills were white, some yellow and some red. One hill, the roots run like a cucumber vine with potatoes on every inch of the roots. One hill was a beautiful red potato—just the shape of a banana. Another hill bore 276 potatoes from the size of a hen's egg to the size of a small pea. I await future developments with great interest."—F. A. McDonald.

"We planted your Potato Seeds last spring and got a large assortment of all sorts, colors and sizes, as is usual with such seed. We saved a lot of the most promising ones to plant the coming season."—C. C. Mathews, Horticulturist.

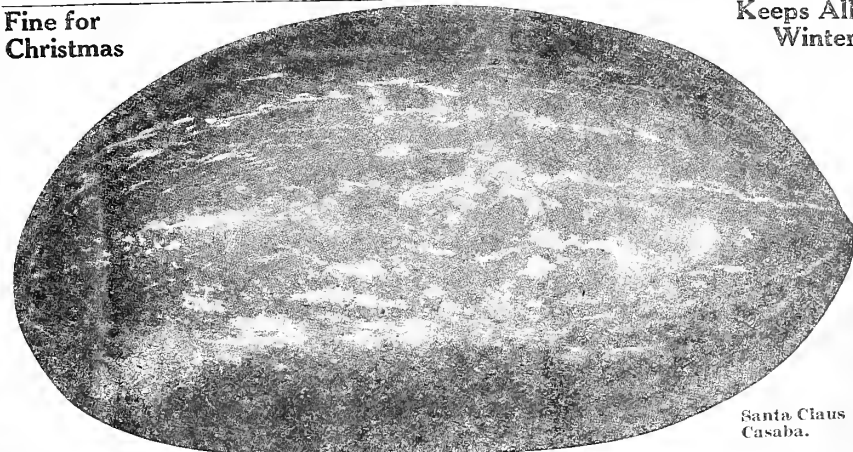
Try a few of these seeds and see the great collection you will grow. Seed, pkt., 15c; 2 pkts., 25c.

## Casabas—Used as a Winter Muskmelon

CASABAS are a late variety of muskmelons to be classed in a group by themselves. They should be planted after all danger of frost in spring, and picked and put away in a dry place just before frost in the fall. All melons, even half-grown ones, will ripen gradually, giving a continual supply all winter.

Fine for Christmas

Keeps All Winter



Santa Claus Casaba.

**Santa Claus** This is a real novelty and the name is very appropriate, as it is in prime condition to eat during the holiday season. Its light green flesh is stringless. It looks like a mottled muskmelon (see engraving). Rind very hard, there is no seed cavity. Seeds are imbedded in a small jelly-like pulp. Plant and cultivate same as muskmelons. Plant a few seeds in your garden this spring. Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c.

**Mammoth Fruited Ground Cherry** This is by far the most prolific of all Ground Cherries. Besides, the fruit is about double in size that of any other variety, some of the fruit measuring from 1½ to 2 inches in diameter, of a dark purple Egg-Plant-colored skin, with green flesh. It has been found superior to any other Ground Cherry or Husk Tomato for preserving purposes, and the flavor is sweet and delicious. The plants grow about 2½ feet high, about the same in width, are heavy bearers of fruit in any ordinary garden soil. Try it this year. Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c.

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# BEANS

Some varieties of Beans, such as Bountiful, Giant Stringless Green Pod and Mills Rust-Proof Wax, are short crops this year and my stock is very limited, but I hope to have a few for each one of my customers who may need them. You should not fail to plant some of my 1200 to 1 BEANS this year and get a start. It's a wonderful Bean. Leaflet, "How to Grow Beans," free with order if asked for.

## 1200 TO 1 BEAN

A MONEY-MAKER FOR EVERYBODY



Made from a Photograph of a Prize-Winning Plant of 1200 to 1 Bean.

For a number of years I have been testing and improving Beans with a view to developing a strain of special merit. I have been working to produce greater yields from single plants by selecting plants producing the largest number of perfect pods and beans and I believe I have developed a Bean that will produce a larger yield from the amount of ground planted than any other variety of white Beans known, which I call 1200 to 1.

Last season I made a very careful test of every variety of White Beans I could secure that were anywhere near my 1200 to 1, in order to determine whether there is a variety that would equal or surpass it.

I had upwards of 70 samples in my test grounds and not one equaled 1200 to 1 for growth, productiveness, early ripening, etc.

The past season was a very bad one in this section for planting Beans on account of the cold, wet weather in the spring, and for this reason I did not get my test lots planted until June 14th, and 1200 to 1 planted on the same day produced dry Beans in less than 80 days, which proved to be ahead of all others.

1200 to 1 Bean is, in my opinion, from the very careful trials I have made in Beans, a grand white Bean for the farmer. It grows strong and erect, with a very stiff stalk that branches out in all directions, so that



if planted in rows 24 to 30 inches apart, and 12 to 15 inches apart in the row, only 1 Bean in a hill, it will cover the ground.

The plants grow about 2 feet high, and owing to their great branching character only 1 Bean should be planted in a hill or at least only one should be allowed to grow. If any more remain, it reduces the yield. Pods which literally load the plant are produced well up from the ground,



This photograph shows 1200 to 1 Beans growing in a row, 1 plant in a hill, 1 foot apart in the row. Plants are completely loaded with pods all through the foliage and on the opposite side of the plant. An enormous yield from very little space. Everyone interested in Beans should plant 1200 to 1 this year. It is just the Bean for the garden to grow enough for home use or the farmer for a field crop.

and they are well filled with nearly round, medium-sized pure white Beans of the best quality. They ripen very evenly in from 78 to 90 days after planting, according to the season, permitting harvesting all at one time, which is very important in raising Beans.

More than 200 pods have been produced on a single plant, yielding over 1200 Beans, and taking into consideration its great yielding qualities, I could think of no more appropriate name for this selected strain than 1200 to 1. This name does not indicate that all plants will produce

such large yields; for the season, soil, time of planting, care, etc., have everything to do with growing Beans, and while some plants may produce over 1200 beans, others may produce less, but I am fully convinced this Bean will be greatly prized by all who grow it.

Notice the great yield of pods on the 6 plants grown 12 inches apart in the row and shown in the illustration, made from a photograph taken the past season in one of my fields planted for seed purposes. The photo does not do justice to the plant, which should be seen to be appreciated. Such a crop as this grown on one acre of good ground

1200 to 1 is a very handsome pure white Bean of medium size. This view shows natural size of Beans, having been made direct from samples of my seed stock.

would be worth over \$500 to anyone this year at the high price of Beans.

I am endeavoring to show from the several views made direct from photographs of my 1200 to 1 Bean the habit of growth of plant, size of pods, and beans, as well as yield, in order to give those who want to raise Beans for pleasure or profit as good and complete information as possible.

I believe this is just the Bean to plant by those who have small gardens and want to raise enough Beans to shell for home use. It requires a very small space in the garden to raise a bushel or two of these Beans by just planting in 2-foot rows, a foot apart in the row, 1 Bean in a hill.

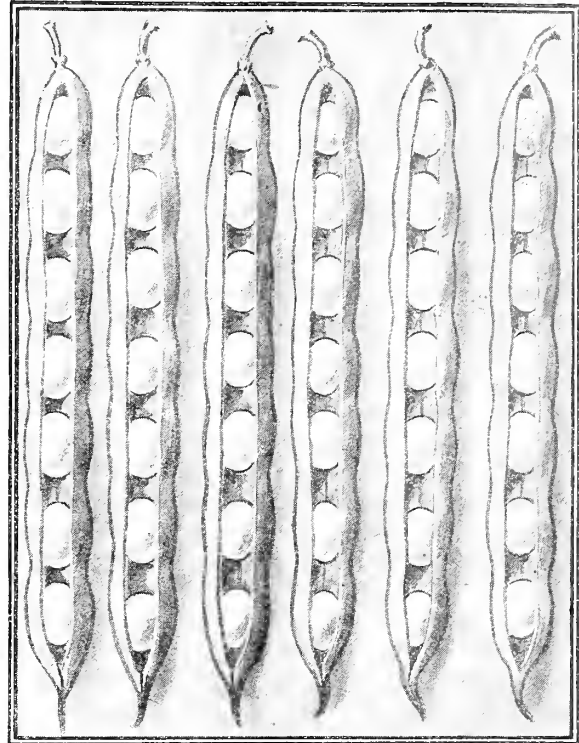
My supply of seed is yet limited and I can furnish only a small quantity to any one person at any price this year. For this reason my seed stock will all be put up in sealed packets, each packet containing not less than 50 Beans, with directions for planting, care, etc., printed on each packet. I offer them at the following prices:

**Packet, 10c; 3 Packets, 25c; 7 Packets, 50c; 15 Packets, \$1.00, Postpaid.**

## Plant 1200 to 1 Bean for Seed Stock

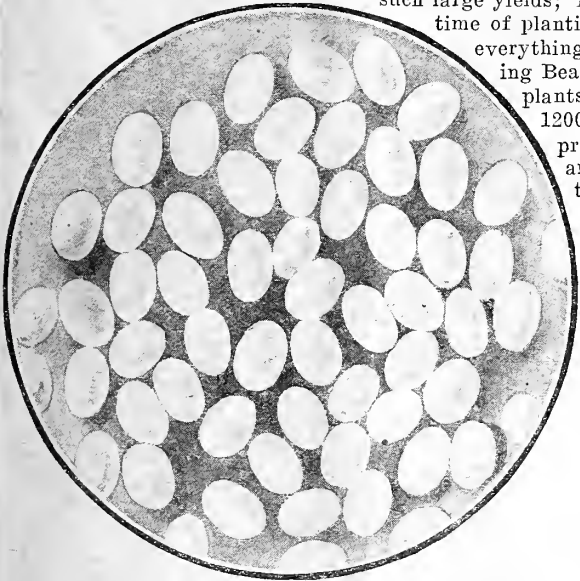
On account of the seed stock of my 1200 to 1 being limited this season, I advise every person who is interested in good Beans to plant at least a few to raise sufficient seed stock for next season's planting or you can sell all the surplus you raise to your neighbors at fancy prices.

This Bean may do better in some sections of the country than others, but I believe it will be highly prized by all who grow it on account of its earliness of ripening its crop and also great productiveness and excellent quality of the Beans. Do not fail to get a start this season.



This photograph shows 6 pods of 1200 to 1 Bean just as picked from the plant after the pods had matured, each pod containing 7 pure white Beans. Both Beans and pods are shown about natural size.

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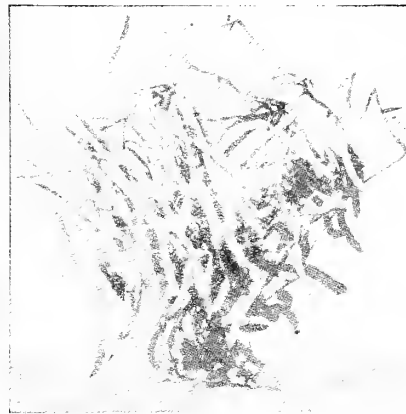
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This photograph shows a plant of 1200 to 1 Bean after the pods have fully ripened and all the leaves have been taken off to show the great quantity of pods. Only one Bean should be planted in a hill to get such an abundant yield.

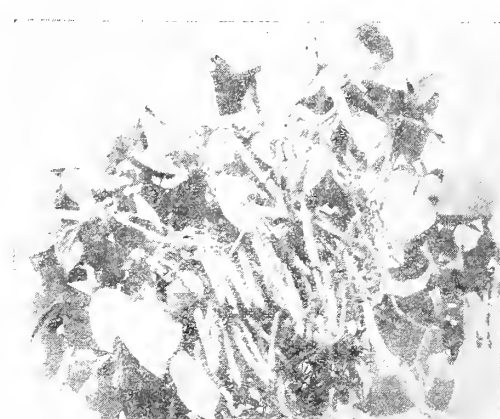
### ONLY 15 PACKETS TO ANY ONE PERSON

In order to supply a few of 1200 to 1 Beans to each customer I am obliged to limit orders to not over 15 packets to any one person, on account of the limited supply of seed stock this year.

## Plant 1200 to 1 Beans in Your Garden

If you only have a Garden, plant a few hills of 1200 to 1 Beans. You should raise enough for home use if you do not wish to save them all for seed. Beans are staple and at the present high prices every foot of ground you devote to 1200 to 1 should make you a handsome profit. I want all my customers in every part of the country to try them and I shall be glad to get a report enabling me to know what State takes the lead in production of 1200 to 1.

Include a packet or more when you order some of my High-Grade Garden Seeds.



This photograph shows a single plant of 1200 to 1 Bean just as taken from the field the first week of September. The field of Beans was not planted until June 18th, on account of the wet weather during the spring months. Pods are all matured ready to shell and this is just a good average plant from a field of several acres growing for seed. There were thousands of just as good plants in this field. Notice the leaves have not even wilted when photo was taken. This photo does not show anywhere near all of the pods; for the plant all through the foliage and on the opposite side is loaded with pods.





### Bountiful Bush Bean

This is a prolific and continuous bearer, absolutely stringless, very tender and of excellent flavor. The plant is very handsome, thrifty in growth. It is extremely early. The rich green pods are of enormous size, broad, thick, very long, uniform in shape, meaty and of high quality, absolutely stringless and free from any tough lining, not only when young, but this tender quality is retained to maturity.

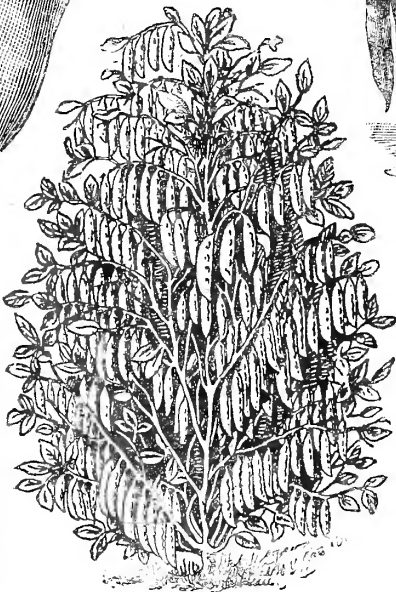
Per pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; ½ pt., 30c; pint, 50c; postpaid.

Bountiful Bush Bean.

### Coffee Beans

This bean is easily grown in any ordinary garden soil and is very prolific. The plant grows very strong, producing a great abundance of pods containing the coffee beans. It is claimed by many that an excellent drink very nearly equal to good Java coffee can be made. It can be planted in May and cared for the same as beans, many people preferring it to genuine Postum Cereal. Be sure to try this wonderful Bean this year.

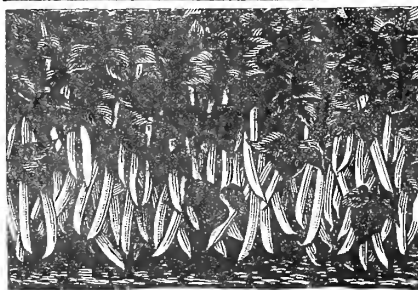
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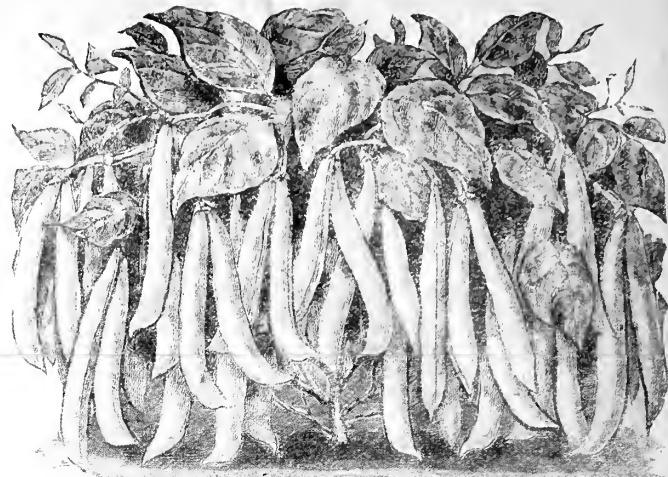
Coffee Beans.

### Prolific Tree Bean

A Bean largely grown for market and one of the best to grow for a field crop, maturing in about 90 days from planting. Plants grow from 1½ to 2 feet high and branch freely, producing a large yield of pure white beans of best quality. A trifle larger than the Navy Pea Bean and a much heavier yielder. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; ½ pt., 30c; pt., 40c. Special prices on larger quantities.



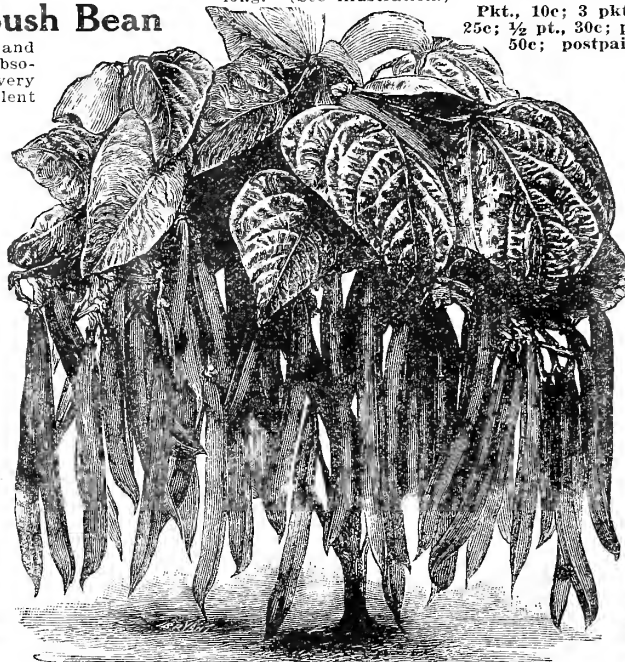
Prolific Tree Bean.



Mills Rust-Proof Wax Bean.

**Mills Rust-Proof Wax** One of the best rust-proof Wax Beans in cultivation and has proved the nearest to perfection of any variety. Very early, grow upright and robust, holding their pods up well from the ground, which are always of a beautiful golden color; unsurpassed in quality; pods golden yellow, about 5½ inches long. (See illustration.)

Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; ½ pt., 30c; pt., 50c; postpaid.



### GIANT STRINGLESS GREEN POD

Just the Bean to Plant in Home Gardens where only a Few Hills are Grown.

Is claimed to be absolutely stringless and the best stringless bean. The pods are ready for market several days earlier than the best strain of Red Valentine, making it very valuable. The rich green pods, from 5½ to 6 inches long, are so round that the back is creased, and when full grown are of fine flavor and very tender. It is very valuable for market gardeners and canning establishments.

Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; ½ pt., 30c; pt., 50c; postpaid.

### Giant Podded Pole Lima

This variety produces an enormous sized pod in great abundance on strong growing vines. Five and sometimes more of these big fat buttery beans are borne in pods which grow from 8 to 9 inches long. Pods are produced in large clusters.

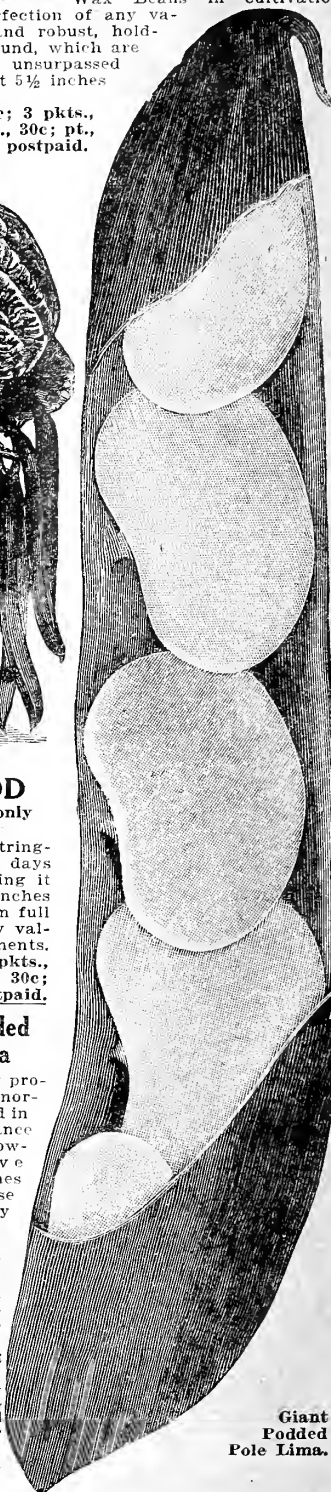
Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.



Bush Lima Bean.

### Bush Lima Bean

The plant grows erect, branching freely and bears enormous crops and the beans are ready for use as early as any other. The pods measure 5 to 6 inches in length, containing 4 to 5 beans each. The green beans, even when of full size, are tender, juicy and sweet in flavor when cooked. It is a grand Bush Lima Bean. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.



Giant Podded Pole Lima.



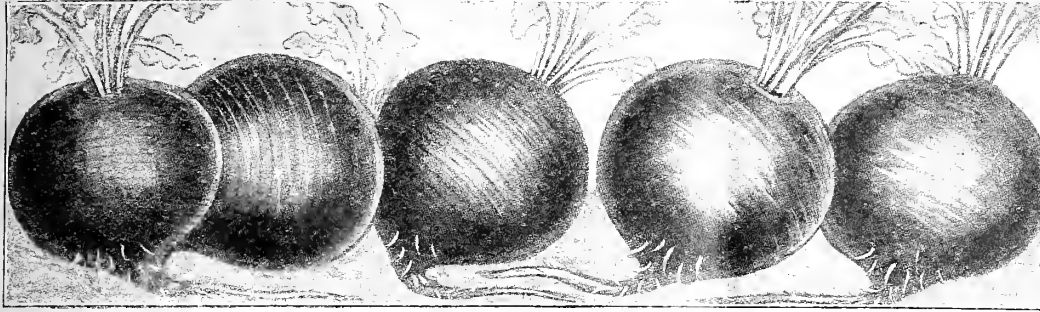
# TABLE BEETS

I Offer the Very Best Varieties in Cultivation. Every Garden Should Produce Sufficient for Home Use. I Have a Good Supply of Seed

LEAFLET, "HOW TO GROW BEETS," FREE WITH ORDER IF ASKED FOR

## Mills Extra Early Blood Turnip Beet

This is my favorite, a handsome Beet and it is a good one to grow in any Garden in the United States. See Back Cover for illustration and description. Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c; 6 pkts., 25c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c.



## Early Pickling Blood Beet

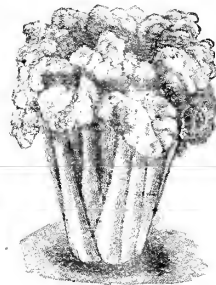
EARLIEST OF ALL

These beets are early, being among the first ready for use. Excellent for pickling. Very early to mature. The color is a rich dark blood red. They have a small top, fine grained and always grow very smooth, the beets being of a very even size. They are good for early planting for spring and summer use, or can be stored in the cellar for winter use, always being very tender and of good quality. Every garden should have a few of these for pickling. Do not fail to give these beets a trial.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 20c; oz., 15c.



**EDMAND'S EXTRA EARLY.**—This is a splendid variety; has a short top, round in form, smooth, and of good marketable size for gardeners. The skin and flesh are a deep blood red, very sweet and an all-round garden beet. It is largely planted in private gardens. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 50c.

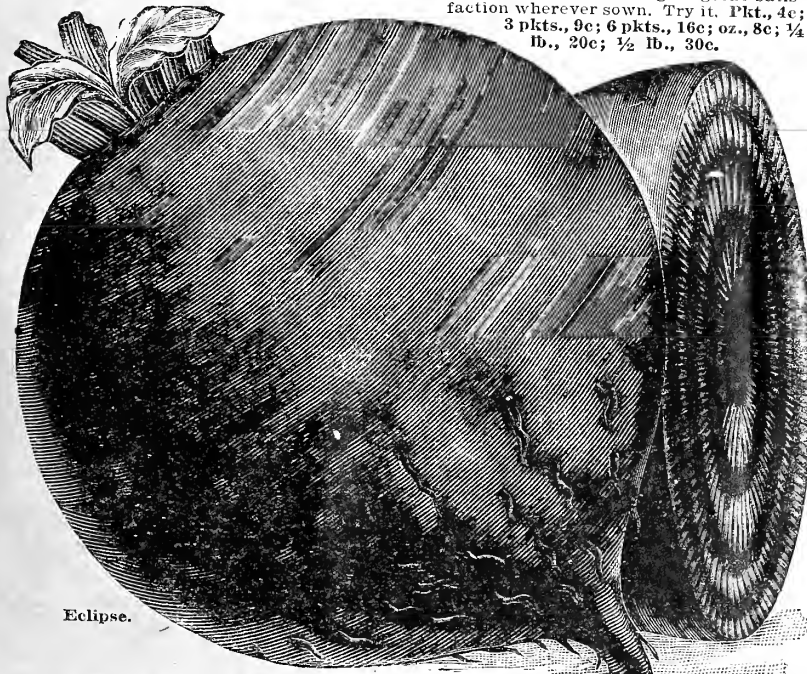


## Swiss Chard Or Spinach Beet

Also called Silver Beet and Sea Kale Beet. The leaves are used for greens the same as Spinach or beet tops; they are equal in quality and easier to prepare than Spinach, and far superior to beets. Nothing in the garden requires less care, and yet it yields a constant crop from July to winter and can be used all summer when Spinach is not available. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 50c.

## Mixed Beets

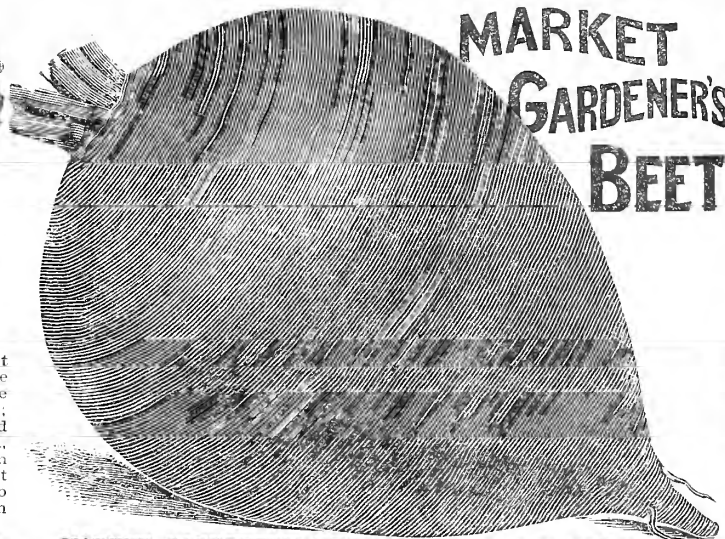
This is as good a thing as can be sown in the garden; it is a special mixture made of all the best Table Beets and will give a supply from very early throughout the entire season. They can also be kept in the cellar during the winter, and I know this mixture will give great satisfaction wherever sown. Try it. Pkt., 4c; 3 pkts., 9c; 6 pkts., 16c; oz., 8c; ¼ lb., 20c; ½ lb., 30c.



Eclipse.

**ECLIPSE.**—This beet is quite early and is superior to many other table beets. I have taken particular pains in selecting this strain for many years, and can furnish seed that will produce beets with a very small top, smooth, fine grain, tender, and of a handsome bright red color. I believe this is one of the best known beets and has given great satisfaction to all who have grown it. If you want to raise Eclipse Beets try my strain this year.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 50c.

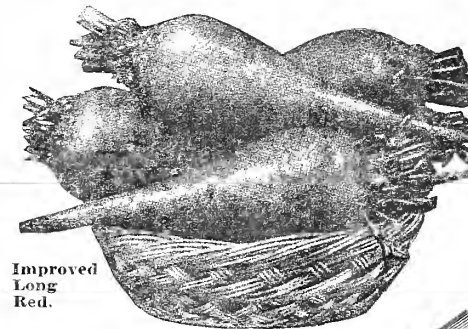


**MARKET GARDENER'S BEET.**—This grows very rapidly and continues to grow for a long time, making a heavy root for autumn or winter use. The quality is good at all stages of growth. It is an excellent keeper all winter; a very dark red in color throughout and the very best for table use. The shape is symmetrical; small top and very handsome in appearance. Try it this year. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 50c.

## Improved Long Red

This is the best long red beet on the market, being unequalled for the table or live stock. It is popular everywhere. Tops are large; necks small; roots, stems and vines red; leaves green. Roots are large, tapering at both ends, growing nearly even with the surface. Flesh and skin dark red, tender, sweet, and remains so when kept until spring.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 8c; ¼ lb., 20c; ½ lb., 35c; 1 lb., 60c.

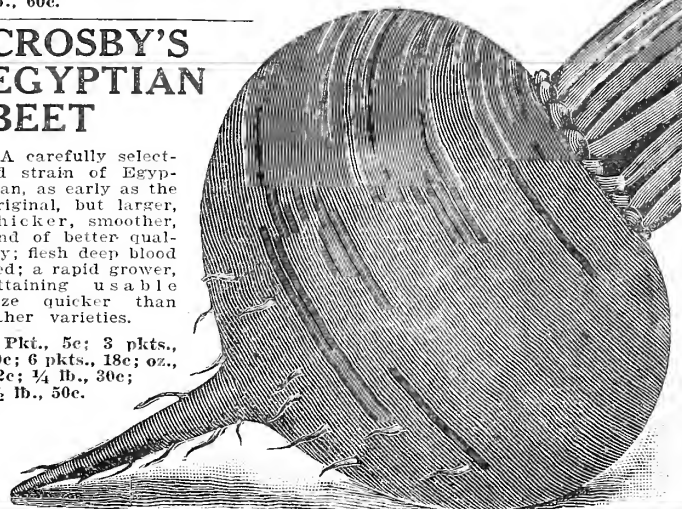


Improved Long Red.

## CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN BEET

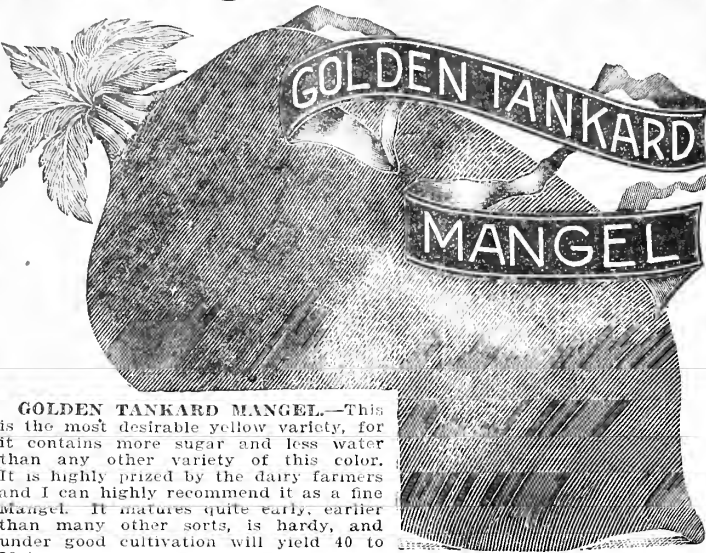
A carefully selected strain of Egyptian, as early as the original, but larger, thicker, smoother, and of better quality; flesh deep blood red; a rapid grower, attaining usable size quicker than other varieties.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 50c.





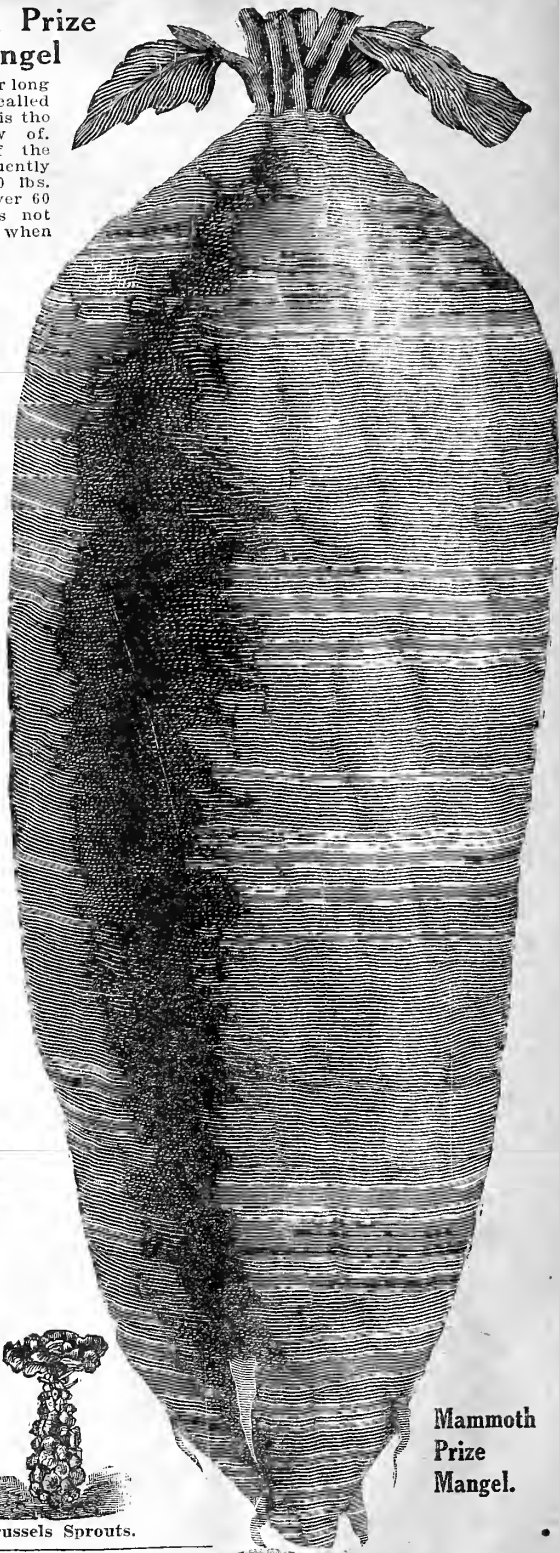
Two Mangel Wurzels for Stock Feeding I Offer the Two Best for Quality and Enormous Yields, One RED and One YELLOW



**GOLDEN TANKARD MANGEL.**—This is the most desirable yellow variety, for it contains more sugar and less water than any other variety of this color. It is highly prized by the dairy farmers and I can highly recommend it as a fine mangel. It matures quite early, earlier than many other sorts, is hardy, and under good cultivation will yield 40 to 50 tons per acre.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 16c; oz., 9c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 50c; lb., 85c.

Mills Mammoth Prize Long Red Mangel

This is the most popular long red mangel; sometimes called "Giant" or "Jumbo." It is the largest variety I know of. Grows about ¾ out of the ground and I have frequently grown them to weigh 30 lbs. each. It has produced over 60 tons to the acre. It is not coarse grained, even when attaining enormous weight. It is one of the very best for cattle and sheep feeding during winter, and those desiring a good red mangel will certainly want this one, as it always produces roots of good size and quality. The illustration, carefully engraved from specimen, will give a good idea of the size and shape, and my customers who want a good stock feeding red mangel should order this one.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; oz., 9c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 50c; lb., 85c.



Mammoth Prize Mangel.

Miscellaneous Vegetables and Herbs

**HERB SEED.**—Those marked (\*) are perennial and when once obtained in the garden, may be preserved for years.  
Anise.—Seeds Aromatic.  
\*Balm.—Has Medicinal Qualities.  
Coriander.—Seeds Aromatic.  
\*Caraway.—Seeds Aromatic.  
Dill.—Seeds Aromatic.  
\*Horehound.—Has Medicinal Qualities.  
\*Lavender.—Very Fragrant.  
Price of any of the above varieties, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

\*Rosemary.—Very Fragrant.  
Summer Savory.—For Seasoning.  
\*Sweet Fennel.—Seeds Aromatic.  
\*Sage.—Culinary Herb.  
\*Thyme.—For Seasoning.  
Wormwood.—Has Medicinal Qualities.

Kohl-Rabi, or Turnip-Rooted Cabbage



Kohl-Rabi.

**EARLY PURPLE VIENNA.**—It is largely grown for table use in Germany. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 25c.  
**EARLY WHITE VIENNA.**—Best for table use. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c.



Asparagus

**PALMETTO.**—This is the finest and best variety grown; remarkably tender and rich when cooked; free from any tough or woody fibre.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c.

Endive

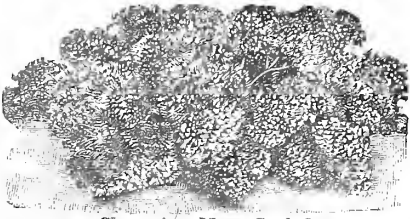
**GREEN CURLED.**—This is a very hardy variety; has dark green leaves; always blanch white and crisp.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c.  
**BROAD-LEAVED BATAVIAN.**—Produces large heads of broad leaves, used for flavoring soups, and if blanched, the leaves make a good salad.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c.

Dandelion

**IMPROVED LARGE LEAVED.**—Very early; if sown in May will be fit to eat in July. A very valuable variety.  
Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 20c; ½ oz., 30c; oz., 50c.

Cress

**FINE CURLED.**—(Pepper Grass).—Agreeable taste to salad. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 15c.



Champion Moss Curled.

Parsley

**CHAMPION MOSS CURLED.**—Produces crinkled and curled leaves, a choice selected strain.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 40c.

Spinach

**EARLY GIANT THICK-LEAVED.**—One of the largest varieties grown. Stands hot weather well. A great favorite in all parts of the country for spring or fall sowing. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 45c.



Early Giant Thick-Leaved.

White Velvet Okra (or Gumbo)

Never prickly and always round and smooth, while other varieties are either ridged or square edged. Outyields other varieties.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 35c.

Mustard

**BLACK.**—Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 9c; ¼ lb., 25c.  
**WHITE.**—Very best, mild, and is exceedingly tender. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 9c; ¼ lb., 25c.

Collards

**TRUE GEORGIA.**—Known as Cole or Colewort; originated in the South. Grown South for greens. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 35c.

Brussels Sprouts

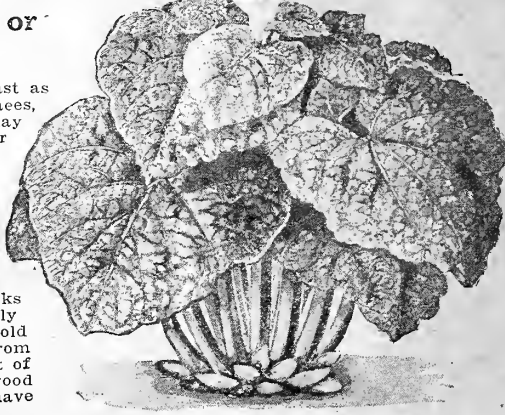
**PERFECTION.**—Grows a stem 2 feet high and on this produces sprouts 2 inches in diameter, resembling miniature cabbage. Very tender and of good flavor. This is the best variety known, and is very popular.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c.



Brussels Sprouts.

Giant Crimson Rhubarb or Pie Plant

It is the earliest of all Rhubarb. As fast as stalks are pulled, new ones take their places, and in the South or Pacific States, it may be used all the year, requiring only water in dry localities to keep it growing. Stalks are of medium size, of good length, about one inch in diameter, of beautiful crimson color, the quality being simply superb, fully equal to the finest berries for sauce or pies. It is really a combination of fruit and vegetable. The skin is so thin and tender it is not necessary to remove it, and when cooked makes a beautiful crimson sauce which looks and tastes like berries. It is especially adapted for forcing in greenhouses or cold frames. Rhubarb is the first vegetable from the ground in spring and the easiest plant of all perennials to grow. You can grow good plants from seeds. Every garden should have a few Rhubarb plants.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.



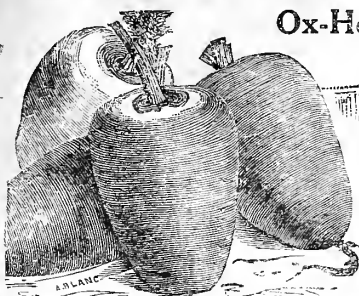
Giant Crimson Rhubarb or Pie Plant.



# SELECTED CARROTS

## Ox-Heart or Guerande

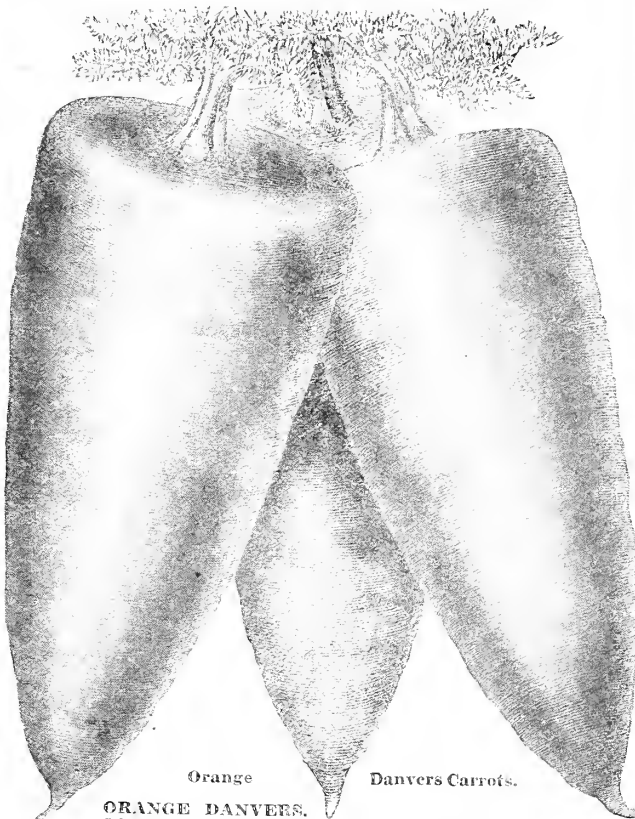
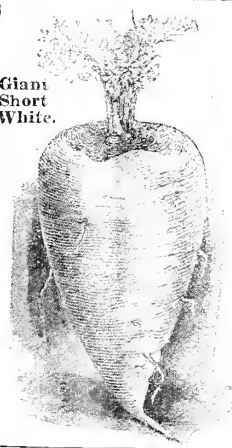
Specimens have been raised measuring over seven inches in diameter. The quality is extra good and I can recommend it for home use. It can be pulled where other sorts require digging. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 35c; ½ lb., 60c.



Ox-Heart or Guerande.

**GIANT SHORT WHITE.**—Very productive; grows well out of the ground, making it very easy to harvest. Roots are short and smooth, flesh rich, white, solid, crisp and of excellent flavor. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 25c; ½ lb., 40c.

Giant Short White.



Orange

Danvers Carrots.

## ORANGE DANVERS.

—The best variety and of the very best quality, well adapted to all soils and sections, and is an enormous yielder. It is medium length, tapering at the point. Roots smooth and of a dark, rich orange color. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 35c; ½ lb., 60c.

**MASTODON.**—This is a very large and productive white Carrot. Flesh is pure white, crisp and solid, very sweet in flavor. Roots of large size, frequently measuring 15 to 18 inches in length, yielding 20 to 25 tons per acre. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 50c.

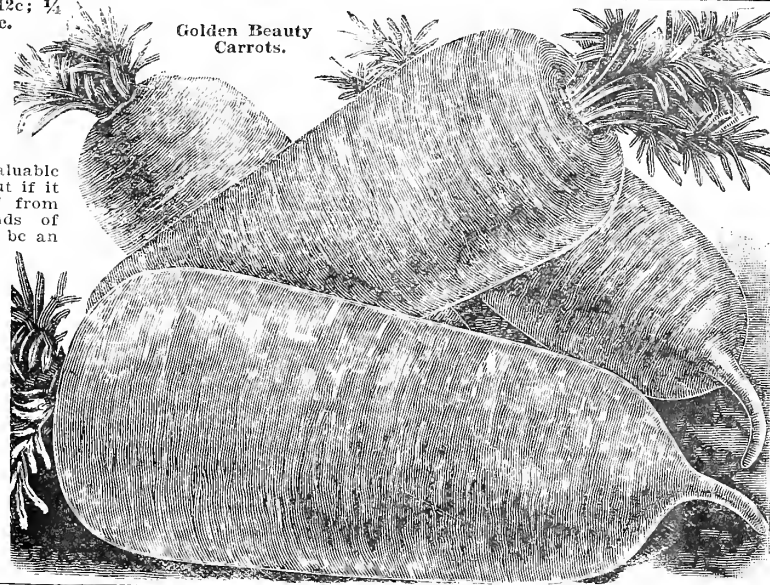
## MILLS CHAMPION YELLOW.

It is of a beautiful yellow color and the best for dairymen, as it gives butter the proper color. It is not only valuable as a Carrot for stock, but if it is sown at the rate of from twelve to fifteen pounds of seed to the acre, it will be an excellent sort for table use. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

## GOLDEN BEAUTY.

This is a heavy cropper and suitable for both table and stock. It is a half-long stump-rooted sort; grows a smooth, uniform, handsome root, free from core, sweet and tender, never becomes stringy. It is very desirable for market gardeners or any private garden on account of its immense yielding qualities. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 35c; ½ lb., 60c.

Golden Beauty Carrots.

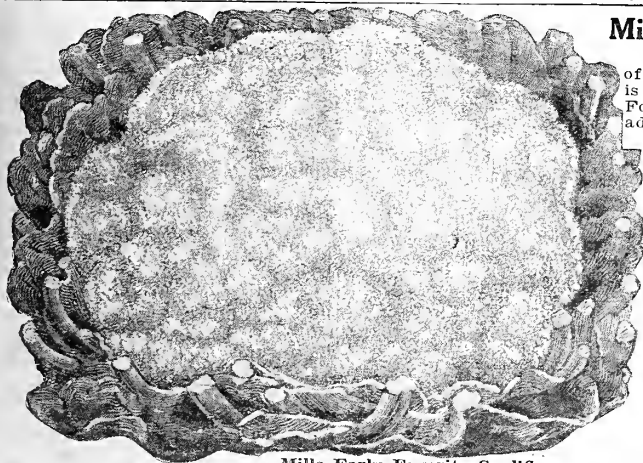


Mills Champion Yellow Carrot.

## IMPROVED LONG ORANGE.

The roots are of large size, smooth, fine grained and of excellent quality for table use. The color is a deep orange, as indicated by its name. Will produce enormous crops and is well adapted to light soil. It is also well suited to dairymen on account of its heavy yields. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 35c; ½ lb., 60c.

Improved Long Orange Carrot.



Mills Early Favorite Cauliflower.

**EARLY SNOWBALL CAULIFLOWER.**—This is a well-known variety, and considered one of the best in cultivation, and a great favorite throughout the country. It is very early, close growing, compact habit, and well adapted for forcing under glass during the winter and spring. My stock is perfectly reliable. Per pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; 6 pkts., 40c.

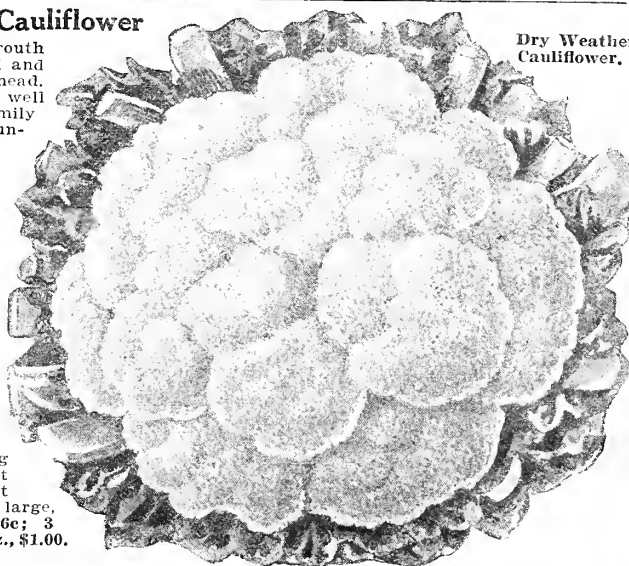
## Mills Early Favorite Cauliflower

It will stand the heat and drouth of any climate the best of all and is the earliest and surest to head. For forcing it is particularly well adapted; as a sort for the family and market garden it is unquestionably the largest as well as the best. Is favorite with market gardeners. Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c; 6 pkts., 25c; ½ oz., \$1.00.

## Dry Weather Cauliflower

This new Cauliflower originated in Denmark. It has been grown in nearly all sections of America and proved to be a drouth resister. It produces a large, solid, pure white head, nearly as early as Mills Early Favorite. It is especially adapted to dry localities and resisting the effects of drouths. It will do well also in moist or wet seasons and make large, handsome heads. Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c; 6 pkts., 25c; ½ oz., \$1.00.

Dry Weather Cauliflower.





# CABBAGE

I OFFER A CHOICE  
SELECTION OF VARIETIES

## 60-DAY CABBAGE

CROP  
IS  
SHORT  
THIS  
YEAR

LEAFLET  
"How to Grow  
Cabbage and  
Cauliflower,"  
free with order  
if asked  
for.

## 60-DAY CABBAGE

**60-DAY CABBAGE.**—This is a great Cabbage and should be planted in every garden in the country. I was very fortunate in securing this strain of Cabbage, which is even earlier than my famous "Earliest Flat Head." **60-Day** is just what its name implies and is the quickest growing Cabbage in the world, and is sure to please everyone who plants it. The heads are fair size, very solid and just the thing for market gardeners, truckers or home gardens; maturing so early will readily sell in any market. The illustration well shows the Cabbage, and almost every plant is sure to form a perfect head. They can be planted close together and will yield a large crop and I am sure that my customers will appreciate it.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 16c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 30c.

## ALL HEAD EARLY

**ALL HEAD EARLY.**—This is a famous Flat Head Summer Cabbage and has proved valuable everywhere and is a money maker. The deep flat heads are remarkably solid and the most uniform in size and shape of any variety in cultivation. The introducer says it is the most thoroughbred of all American Cabbages and the heads grow so compact that fully a thousand more heads can be obtained to the acre than any other cabbage. It is suitable for growing in the spring and early summer, or, if sown in July, for use as a winter sort. **Selected Stock.**—Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; ½ lb., \$1.00.

**Mammoth Rock Red** Largest Red Cabbage known; heads of a deep red inside and out and almost as solid as a rock. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c.

## Early Jersey Wakefield

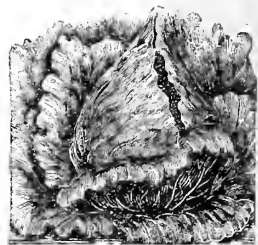
I offer the finest strain of Jersey Wakefield to be had. It is a well-known variety, producing large heads almost as early as any of the other sorts. You should never buy cheap seed of this variety.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., \$1.00.

## Early Winningstadt

Forms large cone-shaped heads of excellent quality, and is certain to head, as it will grow solid heads in seasons when other sorts fail to produce anything.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c.



Early Jersey Wakefield.



Copenhagen Market.

## Copenhagen Market

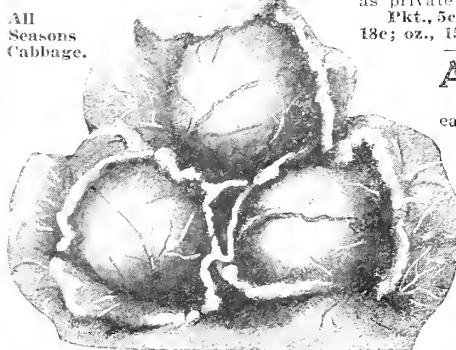
This new early Globe-Shaped Cabbage attracts attention wherever grown. It is the most popular cabbage in the Copenhagen markets. The heads are remarkably solid, with few loose leaves, of fine quality, with small cores, and have an average weight of about 10 lbs. each. This Cabbage is unrivaled as the most equally maturing and large heading early cabbage in existence. If you grow Copenhagen Market you will have one of the finest early cabbages ever offered. Highly recommended by everyone growing it and I wish I had more space to devote to describing this great Cabbage.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c.

## Early Spring

This is a first-class, extra early, round, flat head Cabbage. The heads are always uniform, remarkably solid, with but few leaves. The stem is short, which makes it very valuable for truckers as well as private gardeners.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c.

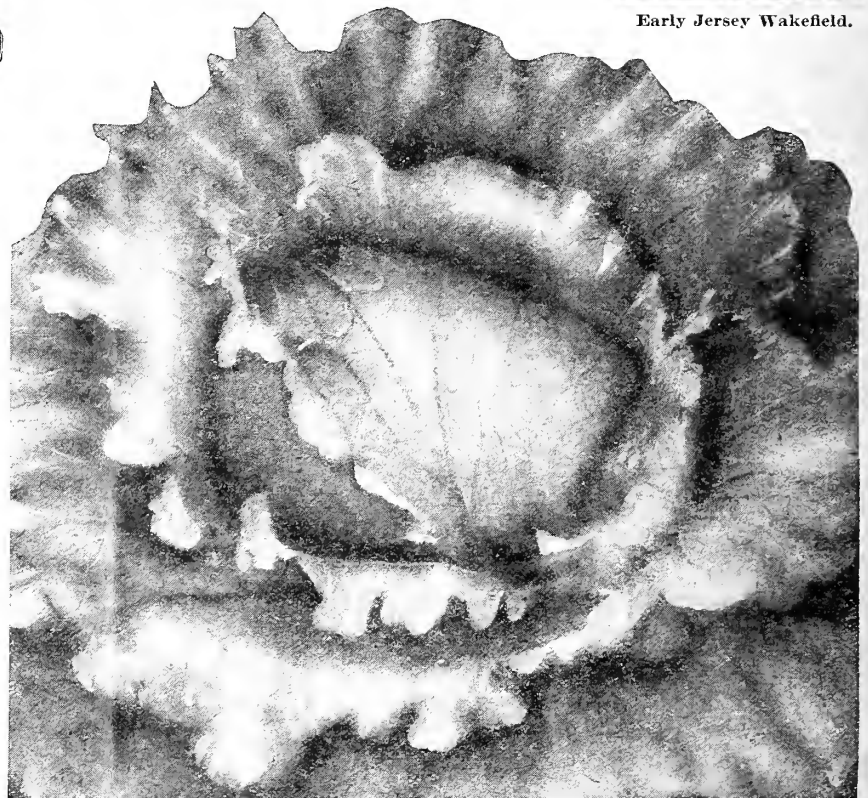


All Seasons Cabbage.

## All Seasons

This Cabbage is good early, medium or late, just as the name indicates and can be planted at all seasons, producing fine large heads not liable to burst after heading. It is a good cabbage everywhere and is sure to please all who grow it.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c.



## Mills Earliest Flat Head Cabbage

Produces Fine, Good-Sized, Solid Heads, Fit for Market 70 to 80 Days from Sowing of Seed. This is just the Cabbage for your garden—producing fine, solid, good-sized heads and fit to use in 70 to 80 days from sowing the seed. Its shape and habits of growth are shown by the illustration, the deep flat heads being remarkably solid and the most uniform in shape and size of any variety. It is a beautiful cabbage in appearance and on account of its rapid growth far excels all others for tenderness. I am particularly anxious to have every one of my customers who raises cabbage grow Earliest Flat Head this year. It will surely please everyone.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; ½ lb., \$1.00.



# GIANT SOLID HEAD CABBAGE

## Great Winter Keeper

This is a grand late Cabbage and all who have grown it are more than pleased. It is a late variety, and the heads are as solid and hard as Ball Head. Grows very compact, as shown by the shape in the illustration. It certainly is a handsome cabbage, on account of the heads being so round and deep, and it is not liable to crack. As to quality there is no better variety, there being no coarse ribs or stems to be found in the head. A very vigorous grower and will stand drouth to a remarkable degree. The heads grow so even and solid that they will average 10 to 12 lbs. each through a whole crop. It is highly recommended for its keeping qualities and is an excellent sort to grow for storing or spring markets. If you grow only one variety of cabbage this season, let it be this one.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

## Mills Giant Late Flat Dutch

It forms large, solid heads, uniform size and in color handsome in appearance. It has a very short stem and at the same time it is a compact grower.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c.



Danish Ball-Head Cabbage.

## The Great World Beater Cabbage

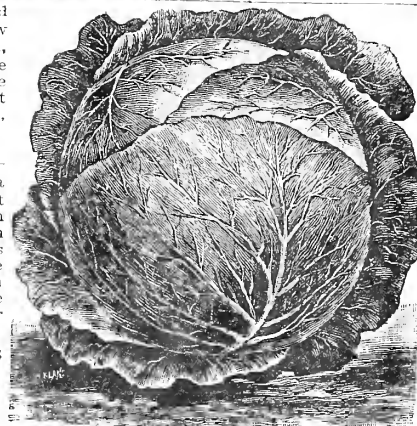


**Danish Ball Head** This Cabbage comes from Denmark and it is prized so highly that the Danes grow it almost exclusively for Winter Cabbage. The heads are hard, round, of good marketable size, fine-grained and good keepers, are not so large as the Late Flat Dutch, but are even harder and more solid. The true Danish Ball Head has become wonderfully popular for winter market and I believe that in many sections where Cabbage is largely grown, at least four-fifths of all Winter Cabbage grown is Danish Ball Head.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

**Surehead Cabbage** While the Giant Late Flat Dutch is a good one and always produces excellent crop, the Surehead comes close to it and produces large, solid, firm heads, even in the most unfavorable season. Few other varieties can approach it in fine quality and uniform reliability in forming solid heads of good size. It produces large, round, flattened heads and is remarkable for its certainty to head. It is all head and always sure to head, even where other varieties fail. Single heads have weighed over sixty pounds.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c;  
6 pkts., 18c;  
oz., 20c; ¼  
lb., 60c.



Surehead Cabbage.

## WORLD BEATER CABBAGE

The Giant  
of All Cabbages  
Try It

This is the greatest of main crop Cabbages, enormous in size, one of the best keepers, and often produces heads from 3 to 3½ feet in circumference, weighing from 30 to 50 pounds each. The heads are fine grained and it is considered the king of all Winter Cabbages. Its smaller outer leaves enable it to be planted closer than any other late sort and it is always sure to produce more per acre than any other variety from the fact that the leaves are smaller and grow closer to the head. This Cabbage has stood all kinds of tests and met competition everywhere, and I recommend it.

Price, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 30c.

BE SURE TO PLANT  
EVERYBODY'S  
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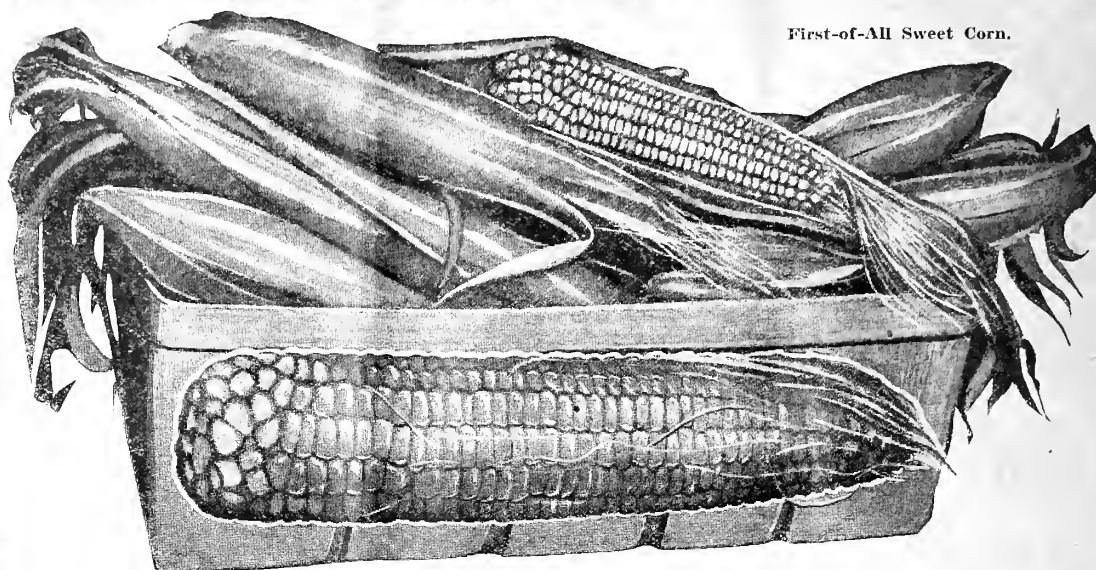


White  
Evergreen.

# SWEET or SUGAR CORN

My Sweet Corn Crops the past season were almost a failure and I can offer only limited quantities

First-of-All Sweet Corn.



## Mills First of All—Earliest of All Sweet Corn

This is the earliest Sweet Corn that I have been able to offer. It being a few days earlier than all others not only makes it valuable for family use, but extremely valuable for market, where the earliest corn always brings the highest price. It is rather dwarf in growth but superior in quality, tenderness, and sweetness. The photograph shows the form of the ears, which are of medium size and well filled with large grains to the tip of a very small cob. Why not have the earliest Sweet Corn in your neighborhood. If you plant First of All you will have. I have a very nice stock to offer this year, all extra selected.

Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; ½ pt., 30c; pt., 50c; postpaid.

## Stowell's Improved Evergreen

This well-known variety is largely planted by private families, gardeners and canners. There is no stock of Stowell's Evergreen that can excel my "Improved." It is the very best for main crop.

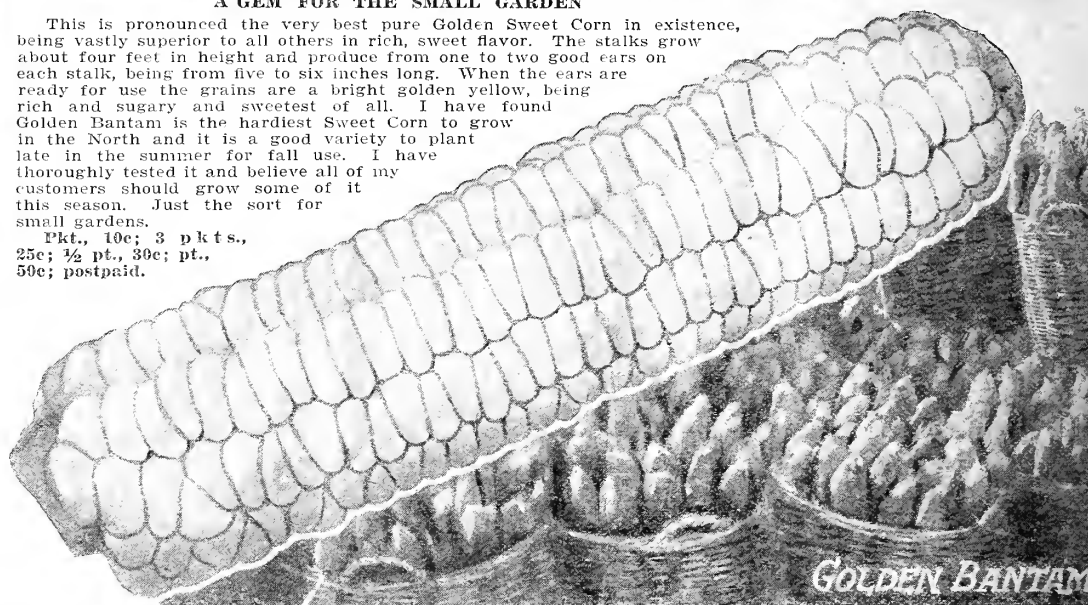
Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; ½ pt., 30c; pt., 50c; postpaid.

## Golden Bantam—One of the Sweetest Corns Grown

A GEM FOR THE SMALL GARDEN

This is pronounced the very best pure Golden Sweet Corn in existence, being vastly superior to all others in rich, sweet flavor. The stalks grow about four feet in height and produce from one to two good ears on each stalk, being from five to six inches long. When the ears are ready for use the grains are a bright golden yellow, being rich and sugary and sweetest of all. I have found Golden Bantam is the hardest Sweet Corn to grow in the North and it is a good variety to plant late in the summer for fall use. I have thoroughly tested it and believe all of my customers should grow some of it this season. Just the sort for small gardens.

Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; ½ pt., 30c; pt., 50c; postpaid.



## White Evergreen

This is one of the most delicious Sweet Corns ever offered. It is a splendid yielder and entirely unsurpassed for market gardening purposes. The ears are pure snow white, large and well filled. It is tender, sweet and most desirable for table use. I cannot recommend the White Evergreen too highly, as I know it will give the greatest possible satisfaction to all who grow it. If you want a great Sweet Corn, by all means include the White Evergreen with your order. The illustration gives a good idea of this valuable variety. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c; ½ pt., 30c; pt., 50c; postpaid.

## Early Bird Incubators

Capacity, 55 Eggs.....Price, \$5.75  
Capacity, 100 Eggs.....Price, \$7.50

There is no incubator better or more scientifically made than this machine. It is double wall throughout, lined with asbestos paper.

The circulation and ventilation is perfect, giving absolutely uniform heat, which makes it such a successful hatcher.

All my incubators are shipped with tested thermometers, egg tester and book of instructions.

## Guaranty

I guarantee every incubator and brooder sent out to be exactly as represented and to work perfectly or refund money.

## Early Bird Brooder

I manufacture a 55-chick companion Brooder.

The heat is radiated from a galvanized iron drum, attached to top of the brooder, whereby the chicks never come in contact with the heated iron.

The ventilation is most improved type. It provides pure and fresh air for the baby occupants. This means healthy chicks.

Price, \$4.00.

## Special Offer

I will furnish my Early Bird 55-Egg Incubator and Brooder for \$8.50. 100-Egg Early Bird Incubator and Brooder, \$10.50.

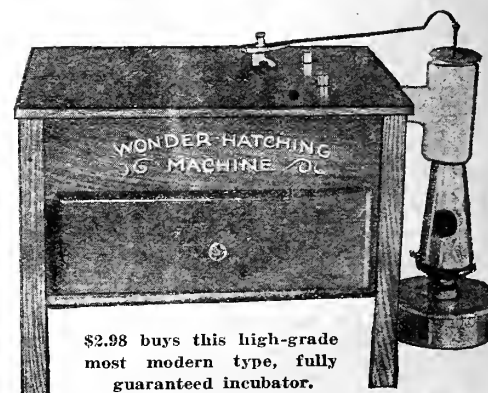
## Wonder Hatcher Incubator

Capacity, 30 Eggs.....Price, \$2.98

There is no machine operated with less care or attention and better results than this Wonder Hatcher Incubator. It is constructed from carefully selected kiln-dried lumber; latest approved regulator. The action is perfect, and it is easily adjusted. The ventilation is perfect, the heat is circulated in such a manner that all parts have an absolutely even heat.

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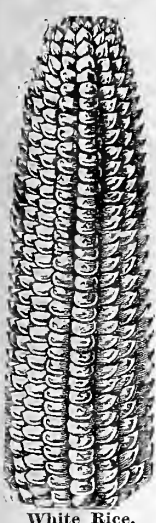
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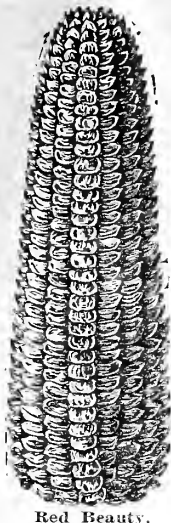
\$2.98 buys this high-grade most modern type, fully guaranteed incubator.



# POP CORN



White Rice.



Red Beauty.

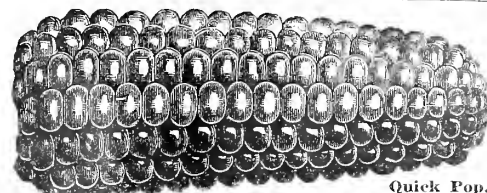


Mapledale Prolific.

Golden Tom Thumb.

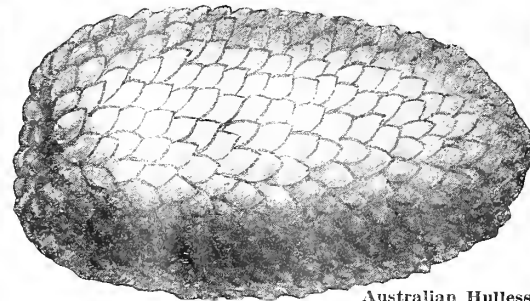


**GOLDEN TOM THUMB.**—One of the smallest Pop Corns grown, growing only about 18 inches high, and produces from 2 to 4 perfect little ears. Each ear is from 2 to 2½ inches long, with kernels of a bright golden yellow. Pkt., 8c; 3 pkts., 20c.



Quick Pop.

**QUICK POP POP CORN.**—A very early variety producing from 2 to 4 perfect ears of a beautiful golden yellow color. This Pop Corn is very quick to pop, hence its name, and the kernels expand to a large size when popped. It is a beauty. Pkt., 8c; 3 pkts., 20c.



Australian Hulless.

**White Rice** This is a well-known variety and the leading sort for the market. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 20c.

**Mapledale Prolific** This is a remarkable variety and the greatest yielding sort ever found among Pop Corn. Stalks grow about five feet high and it is claimed that as many as 12 ears have been produced on a single stalk. Its popping qualities are excellent, always pure white and of good flavor. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 20c.

**Australian Hulless** This is a heavy yielder of attractive ears, peculiar in form, being nearly as thick as long. Kernels are similar to the best strains of White Rice, only longer and slimmer, and pearly white in color. The crowning merit lies in its popping qualities, fine flavor and absence of hull or shell. Tender and of delicious flavor when popped. Don't fail to try this excellent pop corn. Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c; 6 pkts., 25c.

**Red Beauty** It is very productive, of a beautiful red color, and in every respect a first-class pop corn. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 20c.

## SELECTED CELERY

### GIANT WHITE SOLID

SWEET AND NUTTY IN FLAVOR

This is a splendid winter celery, keeps well, flavor is excellent, sweet and nutty. Stalks are very brittle, almost without any fibre when blanched.

The stalks grow very strong, 20 to 30 inches high, of a beautiful ivory white in color. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 20c.

### Giant Pascal

The stalks are large and stringless, crisp and brittle; heart a rich bright yellow even after blanching. An excellent variety for shipping; does not rust or rot; grows more satisfactorily in the South than any other kind. It is a fine keeper, and extra good shipper, retaining its color and appearance as long as any other variety in existence.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c.

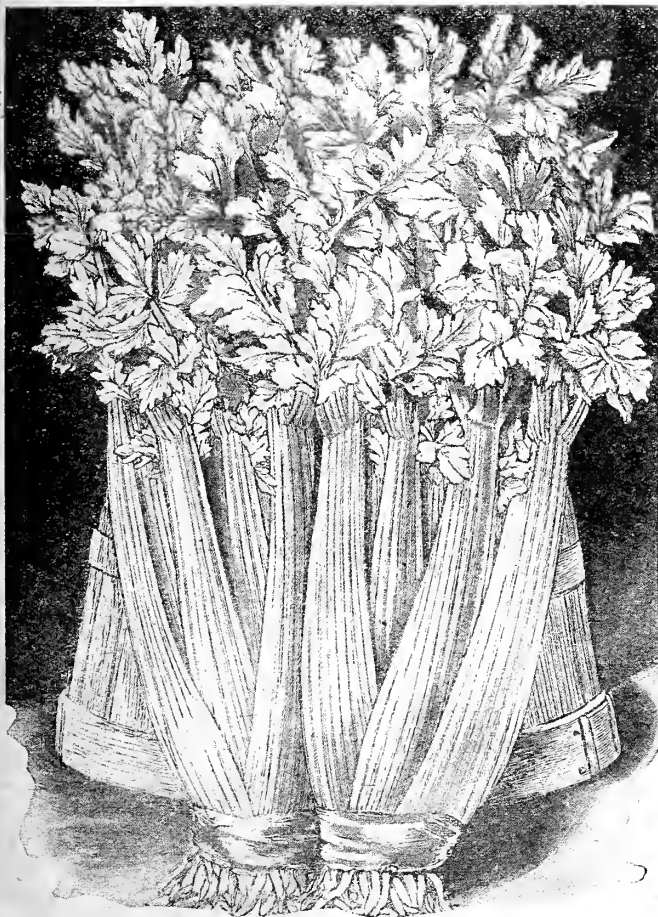
### Dwarf Golden Heart

This variety is of dwarf habit and when blanched, the heart, which is very large, is of a pure golden yellow. It is very striking and showy; keeps well during winter. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 18c.

### Mills Celery Mixture

This mixture contains a splendid selection of all the leading varieties and most valuable in cultivation, and will certainly give the greatest possible satisfaction.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 15c.



Golden Self-Blanching Celery.

### Golden Self-Blanching (GILT-EDGE STRAIN)

This is my Gilt-Edge Strain and I believe it is the best Celery in cultivation, and is also the most popular. It is always in demand where good celery is appreciated. Is a half dwarf variety, growing about 18 to 20 inches high, with thick, heavily ribbed stalks which blanch easily to a clear waxen yellow. Grows stocky, heavy, perfectly solid; is delicate flavor, and is a good keeper. The heart is very large and solid. Stalks are crisp and of the very best quality.

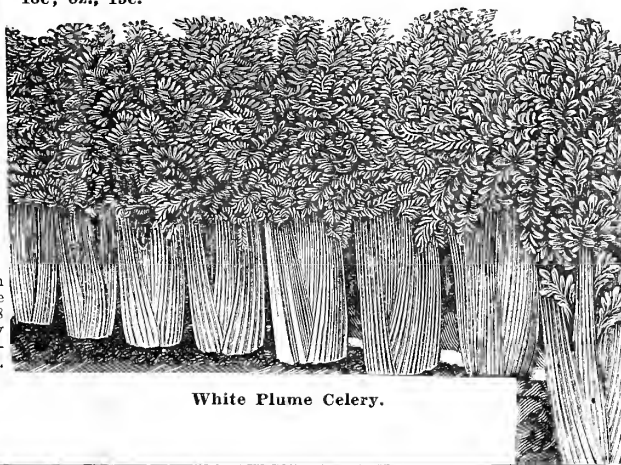
Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c; 6 pkts., 25c.



Giant White Solid Celery

Very Tender and Brittle

Giant White Solid.



White Plume Celery.

### White Plume

This is a well-known variety and is popular wherever grown. It is the earliest and most easily blanched. The plants grow rapidly and on account of its easy culture every amateur gardener should grow this variety. Seeds sown in April, transplanted in July, will be ready for use in October without banking up. My seed of this grand Celery is a very choice selected strain and will produce fine stalks.

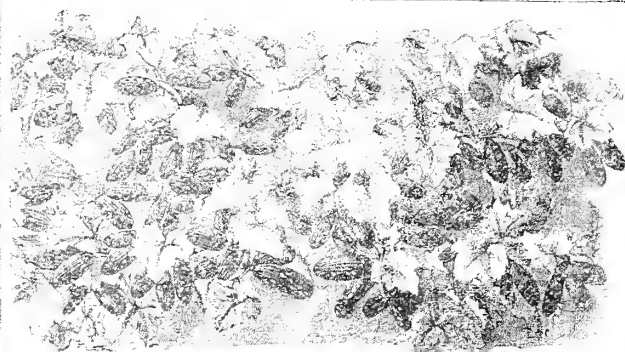
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**Japanese Climbing Cucumber****Mills Earliest****Everbearing Cucumber****JAPANESE CLIMBING CUCUMBER**

This grand variety came from Japan. The young plants are bushy but as soon as they become well established begin to climb and may be grown on fences, poles or trellises. The vines are of healthy, vigorous growth and cling so tightly that they are not prostrated by heavy storms of wind or rain. They begin to bear early and continue to produce fruit throughout the season.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 15c.

**PROLIFIC PICKLE**

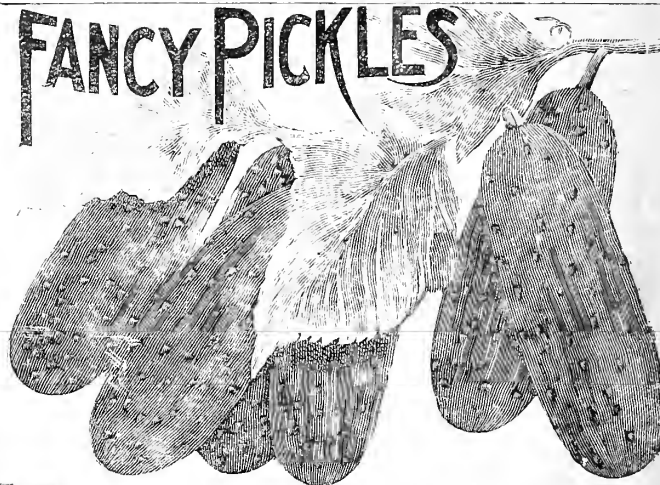
Prolific Pickle is of medium size, slender, cylindrical, with large, prominent spines; color dark green. The flesh is solid and thick in texture, excellent in quality. It is enormously productive, the vines set fruit when young and continue to bear longer than any other variety.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 15c.

**Mills Earliest Everbearing**

This is a grand new early everbearing variety and is bound to become the most popular cucumber for growing outside or for forcing under glass. Is very handsome in color and the cucumbers are just the right size. In productiveness it is hard to equal; producing an abundance of handsome fruits closely set on strong vines. Is always tender, whether grown outside or in the hothouse. In sections where this cucumber has been tested it has created a sensation and everyone is anxious to get seed of it. It is first to come and last to go; fruits all the time.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

**FANCY PICKLES****Fancy Pickles**

This is one of the most perfect strains of pickles ever produced in America. They are symmetrical in shape and no thick ends. A marvel of beauty during the bearing months and are very quick growing and a fine sort for slicing.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

**Klondike**

This is a very handsome variety of an attractive dark-green color of the White Spine type. When it attains suitable size for market it averages from 6 to 7 inches in length, and is of very attractive appearance. It is very early, excellent quality, firm and good for slicing.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

**IMPROVED LONG GREEN**

This is a well-known variety. The fruits grow from twelve to sixteen inches long, and it is well known by everyone that this variety cannot be surpassed for slicing or pickling, and when ripe, it is the best for sweet pickles. The vines grow strong and the fruit is always produced in great abundance, making it one of the most productive varieties in cultivation.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c.

**Improved Long Green.****MILLS EARLIEST WHITE SPINE**

This Cucumber cannot be praised too highly. It is unequalled as a table and market sort and it is also excellent for pickling. It is very productive and good for forcing under glass as well as growing in the garden. The fruits grow from five to seven inches long and from two to three and one-half inches in diameter.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

**NICHOLS' MEDIUM GREEN**

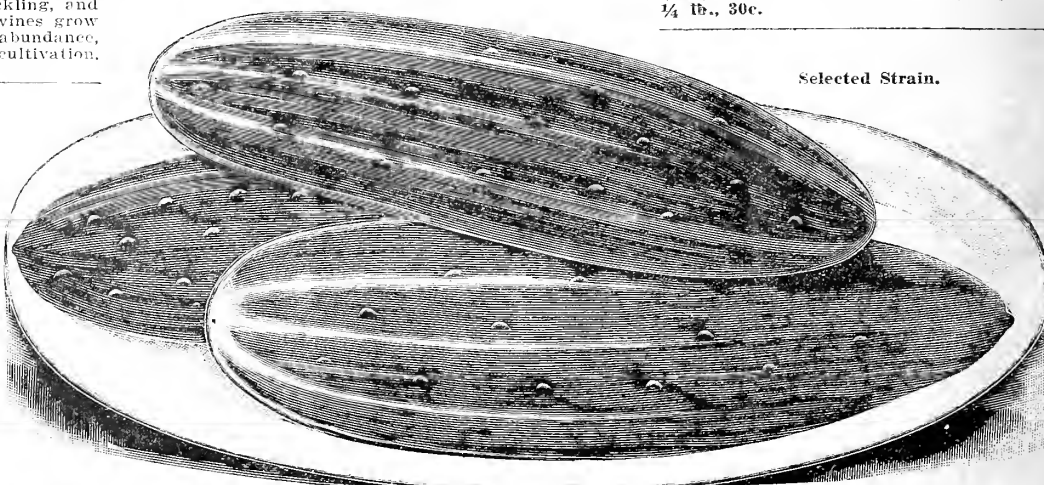
Unequalled as a first-class slicing sort, and greatly praised as an early market variety. The skin light green in color, very smooth, and of fine quality.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

**MIXED CUCUMBERS**

This mixture contains early, medium and late sorts. You can have an abundant supply of cucumbers, either for pickling or slicing. The vines keep on bearing from early summer until late in the season.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c.

**Selected Strain.****Mills Earliest White Spine Cucumber.**



# MILLS SELECTED LETTUCE

## Mills Earliest or 12-Day Lettuce



## Mills Earliest or 12-Day Lettuce

I CLAIM THIS THE EARLIEST OF ALL

Earliest in the world. A lettuce for forcing or for general crop, can be sown at any time. Very tender, remarkably crisp, very best quality. Resists heat, wet and drouth to a remarkable degree. Is slow to run to seed. This is the greatest of all early lettuces. It's a wonder.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 15c.

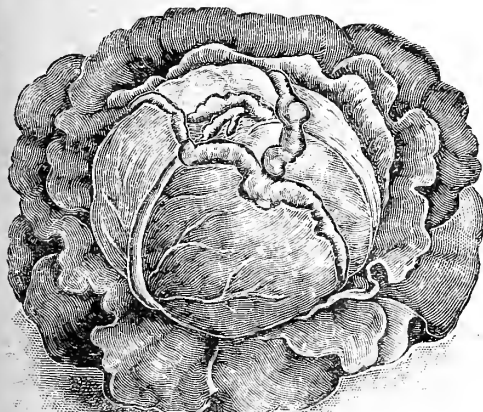
## All-Seasons Lettuce Collection

This is a wonderful collection, and nothing has ever been offered that can equal it. One sowing produces supply for the season. This collection contains all the best varieties, maturing early, medium and late; some curled and crinkled; others produce heads. Colors range from pure white, through delicate shades of green and yellow, to a rich golden. I am sure this Great Lettuce Collection will more than please everybody.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

**DENVER MARKET.**—Solid head, a beautiful light-green color; good for forcing or open ground. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

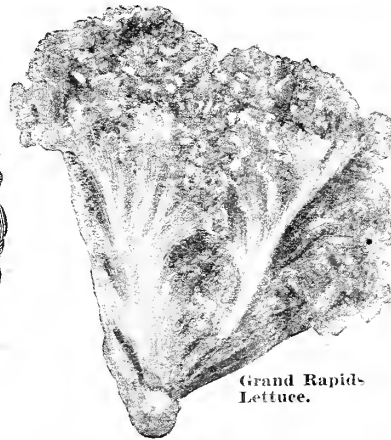
**GOLDEN BALL.**—The heads are fine golden color. Early and slow to run to seed. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.



Early Prize Head.

## Early Prize Head

One of the best head lettuces. Heads form quite early. Is good for market gardeners, as it is very slow to run to seed, and while it is a comparatively early kind, yet rather late in the season it retains its good flavor and does not turn bitter. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.



Grand Rapids Lettuce.

## Grand Rapids

A leaf lettuce and stands ahead of all others for winter forcing in the green house. The best in its class for market gardeners, as it will keep longer from wilting than other varieties.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

## Improved Hanson

This is a perfect Lettuce for the table. Heads green outside and white within, sweet, crisp and tender, even to the outer leaves. This is becoming a very popular lettuce.

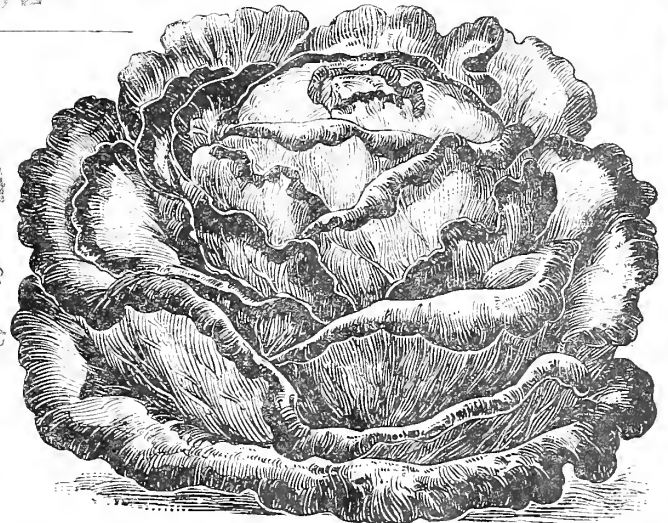
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

## Big Boston

This is, without doubt, one of the best large Cabbage lettuces on the market; very valuable to the Southern gardener for shipping North, as it is the first early sort grown and is becoming more popular each season in all parts of the country. It gives satisfaction in whatever way it may be grown, whether for forcing in the greenhouse in the winter months in frames for early spring use or in the open ground for summer and fall use. Its large, compact, tender and crisp head makes it attractive for table use, the leaves being light green, and it always finds a ready market. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

**BLACK-SEEDED SIMPSON.**—Leaves almost white; grows large, fine quality; excellent for early planting.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

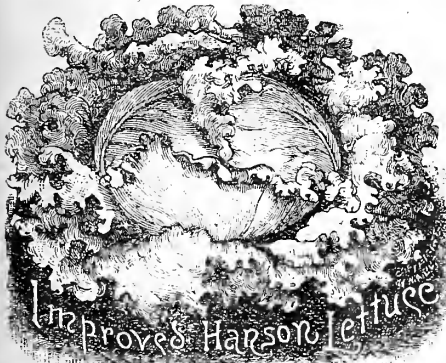


Crisp-as-Ice Lettuce.

## Crisp-as-Ice

This is a beautiful Lettuce of the cabbage type. The solid heads are of medium size, and the leaves are so tender and brittle as to have suggested the name, Crisp-as-Ice. Head has a rich yellow heart. The leaves are thick and glossy, somewhat curled, green color variegated with bronze. It cannot be overestimated or overpraised for home use in spring or summer or late in the fall.

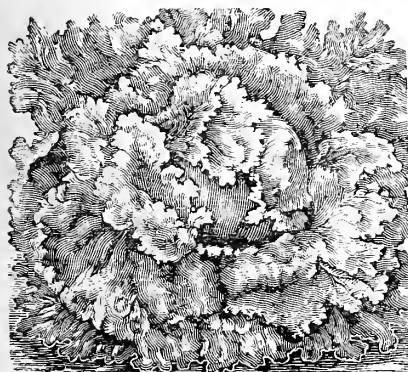
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Improved Hanson Lettuce



Big Boston Lettuce



Black-Seeded Simpson.

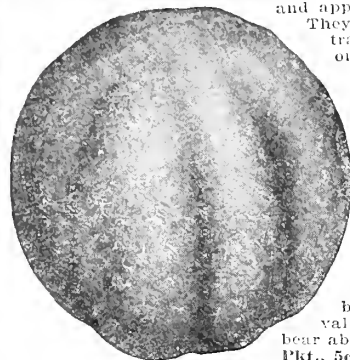


# Selected Muskmelons or Cantaloupes

## MILLS EARLIEST MUSKMELON

### A Magnificent Melon

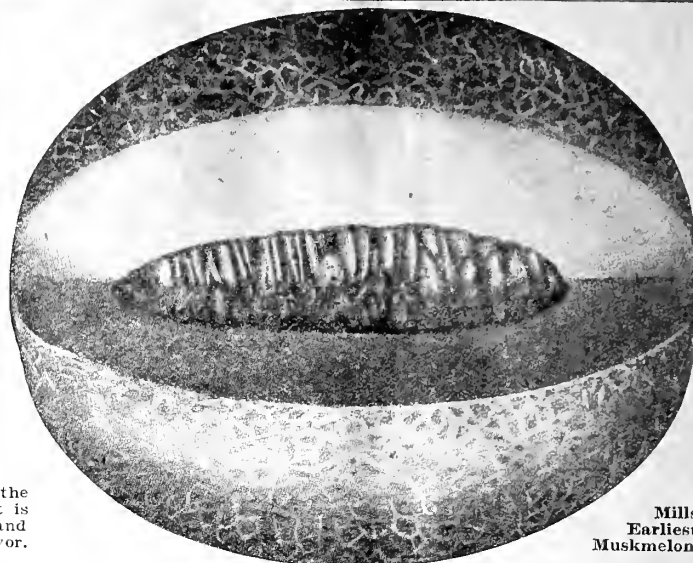
This is my earliest Muskmelon. It is ahead of the famous Jenny Lind, and, in fact, ahead of all the other early Muskmelons. The melons are of uniform size, of fine shape and appearance, delicious quality and sell in any market. They are nearly round, as may be seen by the illustration, of good size, finely netted. Inside is a rich orange color, and I venture to say the flesh is thicker than of any other variety. The seed cavity is very small. I can recommend this variety for home or market use. I know that it is the earliest, sweetest, and most delicious muskmelon; will please everyone growing it. Just the melon for home gardens where a few melons can be produced very easily. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 40c.



True Jenny Lind.

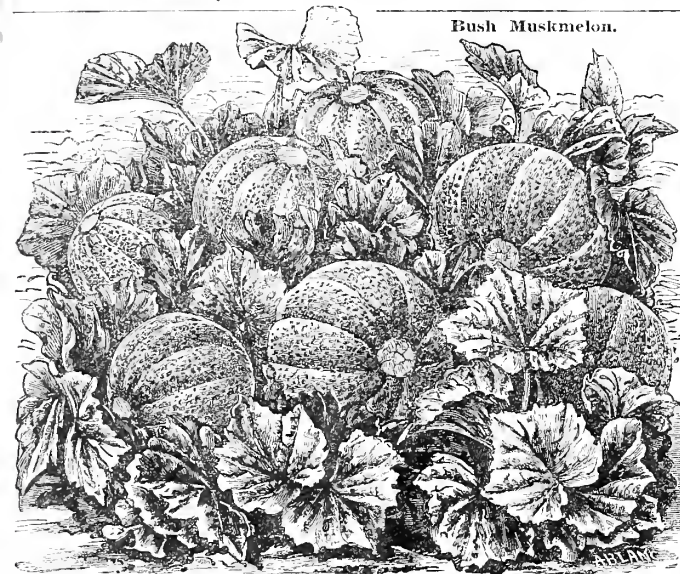
### True Jenny Lind

This is a splendid early variety, and one of the best Muskmelons ever grown. Being very early, it is valuable to grow in the North. The vines are hardy and bear abundantly. The melons are handsome and of fine flavor. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.



Mills Earliest Muskmelon.

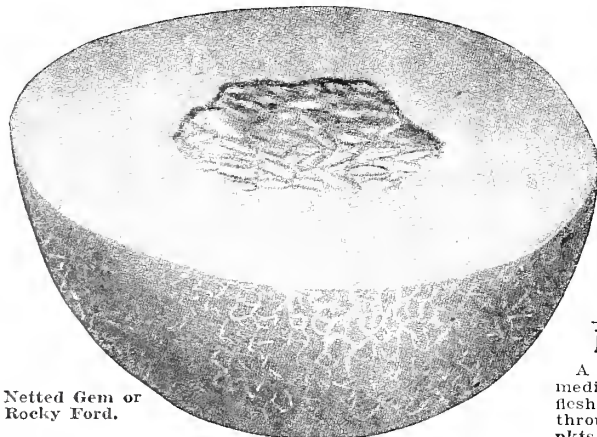
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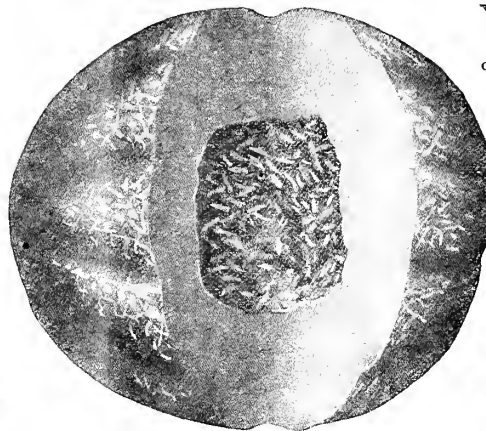
### Bush Muskmelon

This new Bush Melon was recently introduced and the introducers claim it is the most remarkable and valuable seed novelty of the age, and in describing it they say: "For a number of years we have been breeding and selecting this remarkable variation from the vine melons and at last have it so 'fixed' that we feel confident in offering it as the most valuable seed novelty that has been introduced in many years. The fruits are of the popular Jenny Lind type, but larger, averaging 5 inches in diameter. They vary somewhat in shape. The ribs are shallow; the surface is dark green. The flesh is very deep, edible almost to the rind, and is colored light green, flushed with salmon toward the center. The seed cavity is small, the quality is superb, lusciously sweet and juicy. On account of growing bush form it saves space, permitting it to be grown even in small gardens, where home-grown melons have been denied. The plants grow stocky and vigorous, from 15 to 18 inches in length, which permits the hills to be spaced 3 feet apart."

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 20c.



Netted Gem or Rocky Ford.

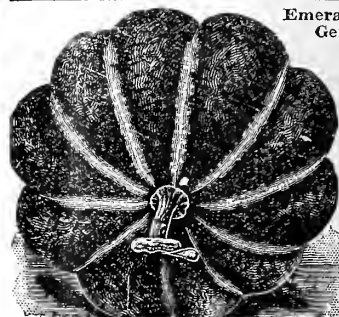


Yellow-Meated Prize.

### Yellow-Meated Prize

This is a good melon, sweet and luscious flavor, with fine netting, thick, yellow rich flesh, very early and handsome in appearance with a very small seed cavity. The vines grow healthy, strong, vigorous and productive and it is a splendid variety to grow for the home garden and very profitable for the market garden.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.



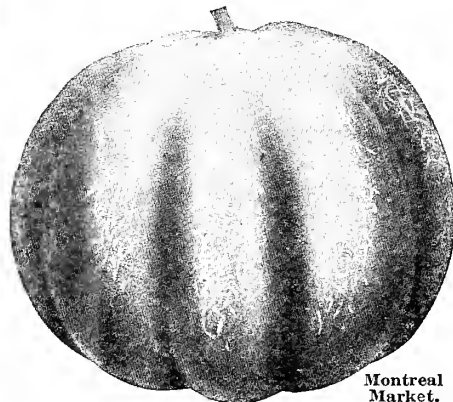
Emerald Gem.

### Emerald Gem

One of the very best. Skin is smooth and emerald green in color. Vines grow thrifty and produce an abundance of fruit, very rich and sweet in flavor. A grand muskmelon. Grow it this season and hereafter it will always find a place in your garden. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

### Montreal Market

One of the largest round muskmelons, weight from 15 to 30 pounds each, slightly ribbed; ripens early and keeps well. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.



Montreal Market.

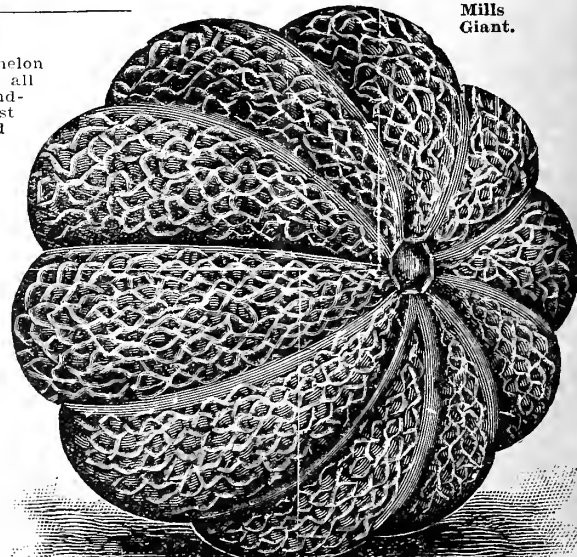
### Mills Giant

This is a splendid large melon and a great favorite with all who have grown it. It is handsome in form, of the very best quality; flesh is rich and sugary, grows large, and is productive. It has thick flesh and small seed cavity and is a splendid sort to grow on account of its large, handsome appearance. I think this is the largest of all the Muskmelons. Try it.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

### Mixed Muskmelon

A mixture that will produce early, medium, late, green flesh and orange flesh varieties and give luscious fruit throughout the season. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c.

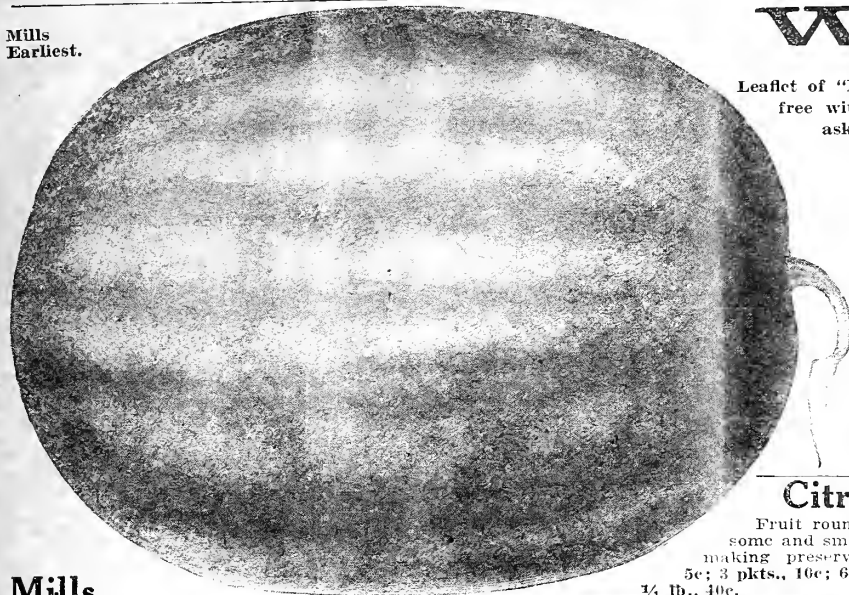


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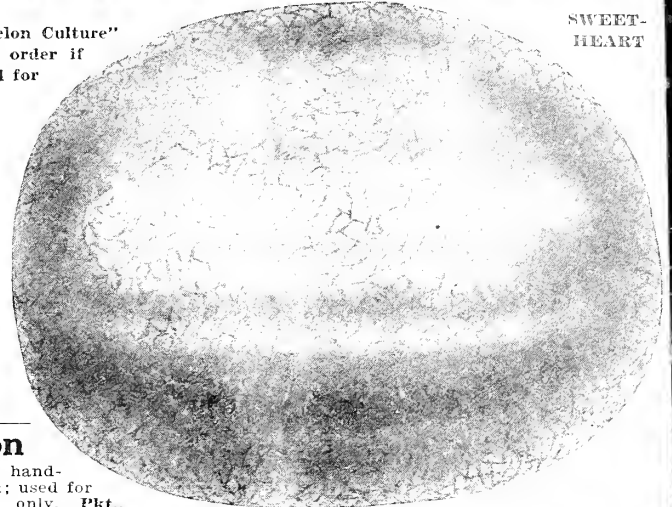
### Netted Gem or Rocky Ford

This Melon has become famous everywhere. It is an early variety, skin is green, ribbed and thickly netted, while the flesh is thick, of a light green color, and so sweet that it may be eaten close to the rind. The melons have a very small seed cavity, the flesh surrounding it being slightly tinged with yellow. It is a very firm and solid melon and will keep in good condition for some time after being taken from the vines. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

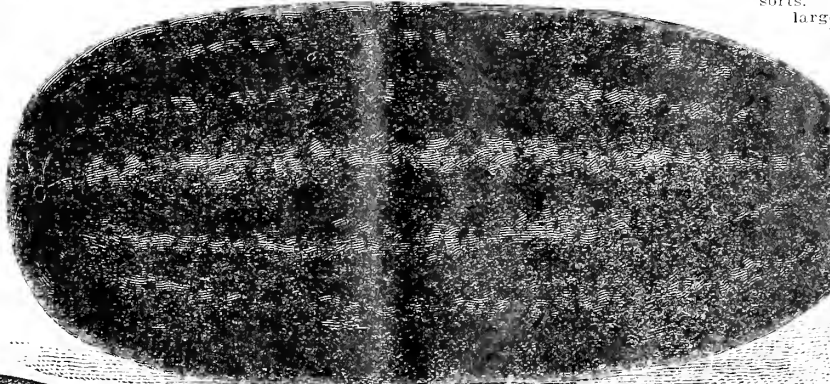


Mills  
Earliest.Leaflet of "Melon Culture"  
free with order if  
asked for**Citron**Fruit round, hand-  
some and small; used for  
making preserves only. Pkt.,  
5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c;  
¼ lb., 40c.**Mills  
Earliest Watermelon**

This Great Early Watermelon is making a splendid record on account of its extreme earliness. It is sure to be the first in the market. Delicious in flavor, very juicy and sweet and always saleable. Excellent for family use, as a few vines will yield many melons. It is excellent to plant if you are in a climate where the seasons are short, for it will ripen where many others will not mature. Flesh deep red, very brittle; skin dark green, faint streaks of lighter green. Just the melon for Northern home gardens.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c;  
oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 40c.**Watermelons**SWEET-  
HEART

**Sweetheart** This grand watermelon is one of the earliest of the large sorts. Handsome good keeper; fruits are large; rind thin, but firm. Flesh very bright red; solid and thick. An excellent Watermelon to grow. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 40c; ½ lb., 75c.

**Kleckley Sweets**

This Watermelon is becoming very popular. It is especially valuable on account of its fine flavor. It is a long, oval-shaped Watermelon, with dark-green rind. The flesh is very firm, scarlet in color and of the very best quality and crisp texture. It is a splendid family garden Melon and always gives good satisfaction everywhere, and we can highly recommend it to grow in the North or South. By all means plant it. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 40c.

Kleckley Sweets.

**Iceberg or Blue Gem**

In general shape, size and appearance this is similar to Kolb's Gem, but is distinctly darker, and the skin, when the melon rests on the ground, is a rich yellow instead of white, as in that variety. It has a very firm, hard rind; an exceedingly good shipper.

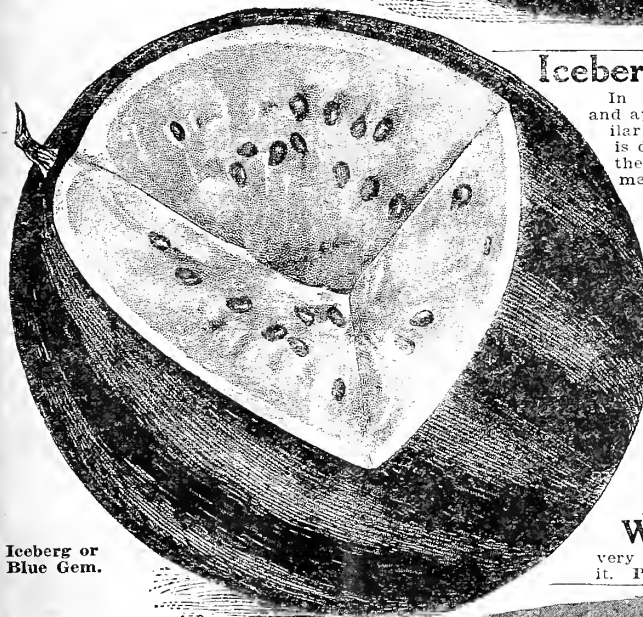
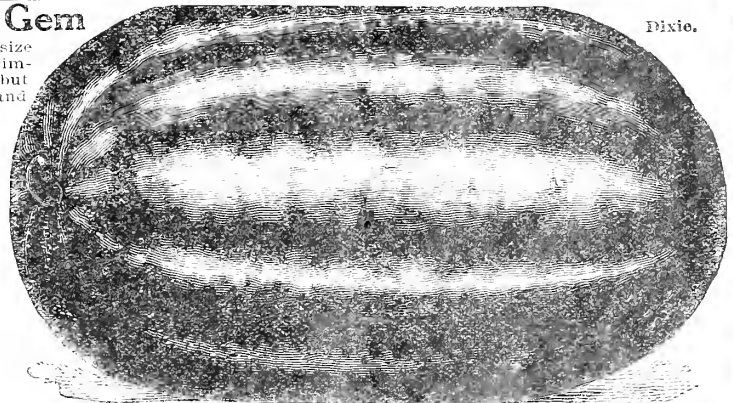
Pkt., 5c; 3  
pkts., 10c; 6  
pkts., 18c; oz.,  
12c; ¼ lb.,  
40c.**Dixie**

Beautifully striped. The flesh is an intense bright deep scarlet, very sweet and tender. Some growers say the Dixie is the best eating and most productive melon they have ever grown.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 40c.

**Wonderful Sugar**

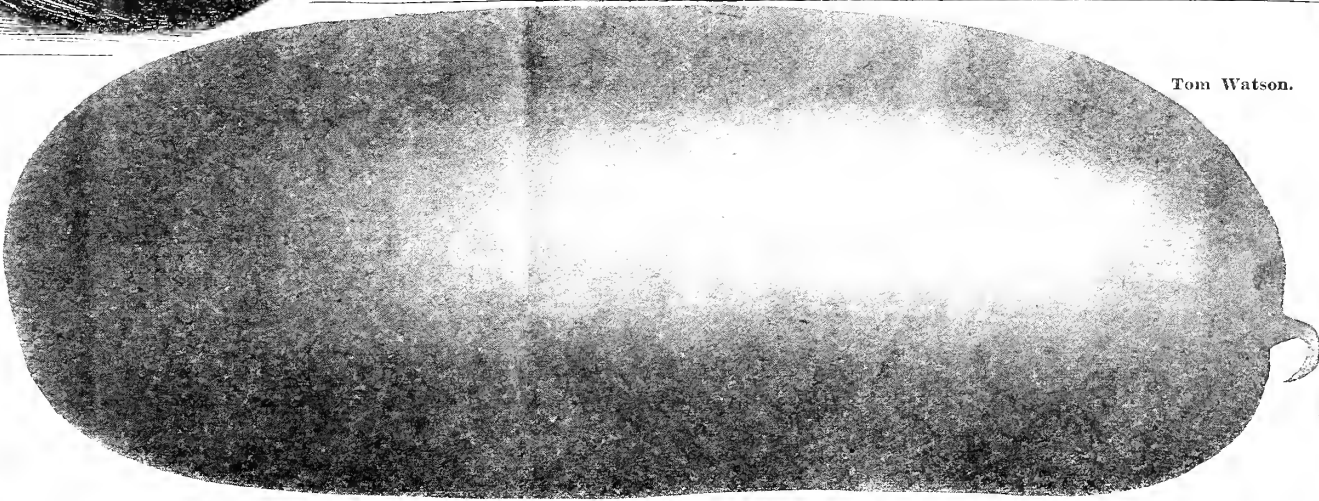
This has become a famous Watermelon, grows to a large size, is handsome in appearance and the flesh is a beautiful red. The vines grow very strong and thrifty. For a good Watermelon I know my customers will be more than pleased with it. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 40c.

Iceberg or  
Blue Gem.

Dixie.

**Tom Watson  
Watermelon**

There is a great deal of call for this Watermelon, which indicates that it is a good one. Although a new melon, it is a success in all sections where it is grown. The illustration gives a good idea of an average specimen. It's a long, green melon and often grows to weigh from 50 to 60 pounds and is an excellent shipper, flesh an intense red color, superb quality. This is what all markets now call for. It's the great Market melon. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 40c; ½ lb., 75c.

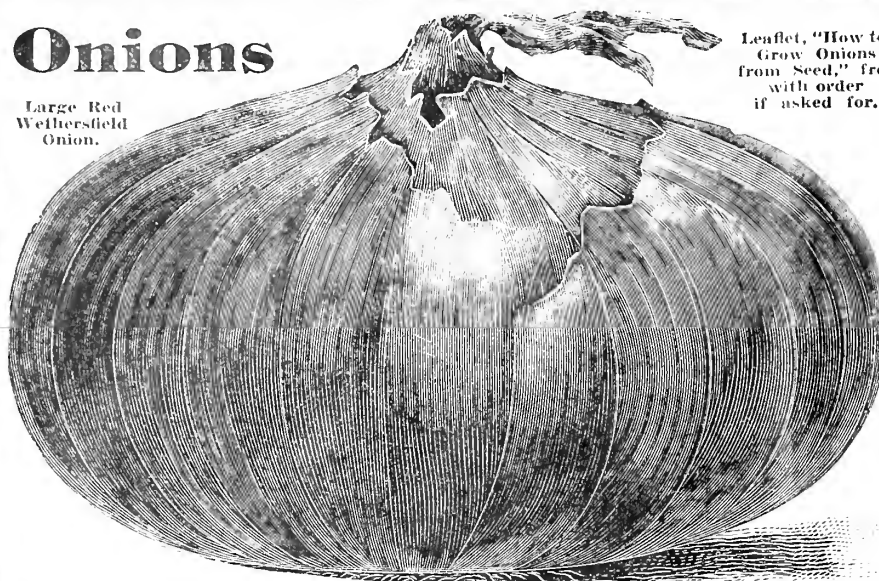


Tom Watson.



# Onions

Large Red  
Wethersfield  
Onion.

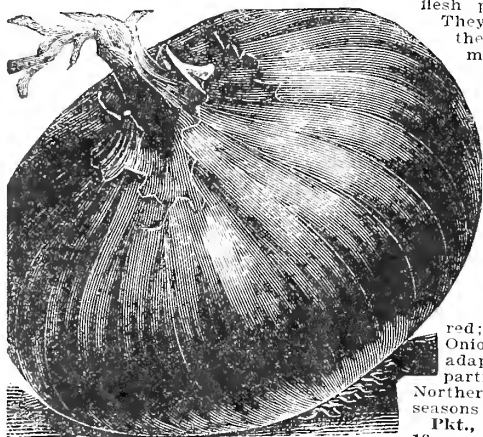


Leaflet, "How to  
Grow Onions  
from Seed," free  
with order  
if asked for.

Mills Selected  
Yellow Globe  
Danvers  
Onion.



**Large Red Wethersfield** There are many strains of this celebrated Onion offered, but I am sure that none can surpass my famous stock of this popular variety. Some strains will not mature until late in October. I have for years taken particular pains in selecting from bulbs that will produce very large crops of these onions, maturing early in the fall, and two-pound specimens the first year from seed are of frequent occurrence. Yields of 600 to 800 bushels of our Wethersfield per acre are not uncommon. It is a magnificent keeper, the skin being a deep purplish red, flesh pure white, and moderately fine grain.



Extra Early Red Onion.

They are excellent for shipping and I claim there is no strain that can surpass my famous stock of this popular variety. I consider it in every way a perfect red Onion for home or market purposes.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., \$1.00; postpaid.

## Extra Early Red

This is one of the standard American Onions; succeeds in cold mucky ground where other sorts fail; matures before Red Wethersfield and if grown in rich soil will produce bulbs almost as large. Can be made to produce fine Onions 90 days from sowing; mild flavor and keeps well; color deep rich red; grain fine and close; Onion solid and heavy; well adapted for early market; particularly adapted for Northern latitudes, or where seasons are short and cold.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 80c; postpaid.

## Mills Selected Yellow Globe Danvers

Always attain a good size with deep bulb and small neck. They grow uniformly, large size and command the highest market prices. Skin is rich golden yellow, flesh white, very fine grain, mild, pleasant flavor, excellent keeper, and one of the most productive.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 30c.

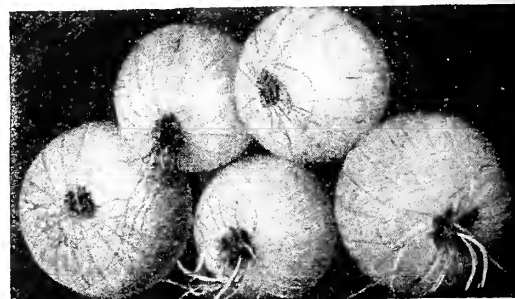
## Mammoth Silver King

Grows very large, bulbs are of attractive shape, flattened but thick through. Average diameter 5 to 7 inches, bulbs often weighing 3 to 4 pounds each. Skin is a beautiful silver white; flesh is particularly mild and pleasant in flavor. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 18c.



## White Pickling

This is the earliest Onion in cultivation, producing very little white bulbs which are mild in flavor. At maturity the tops die down close to the bulb. For table use and pickling there



is no onion that can equal it on account of its being so very early. I cannot too highly recommend it. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 18c.

## PRIZE TAKER

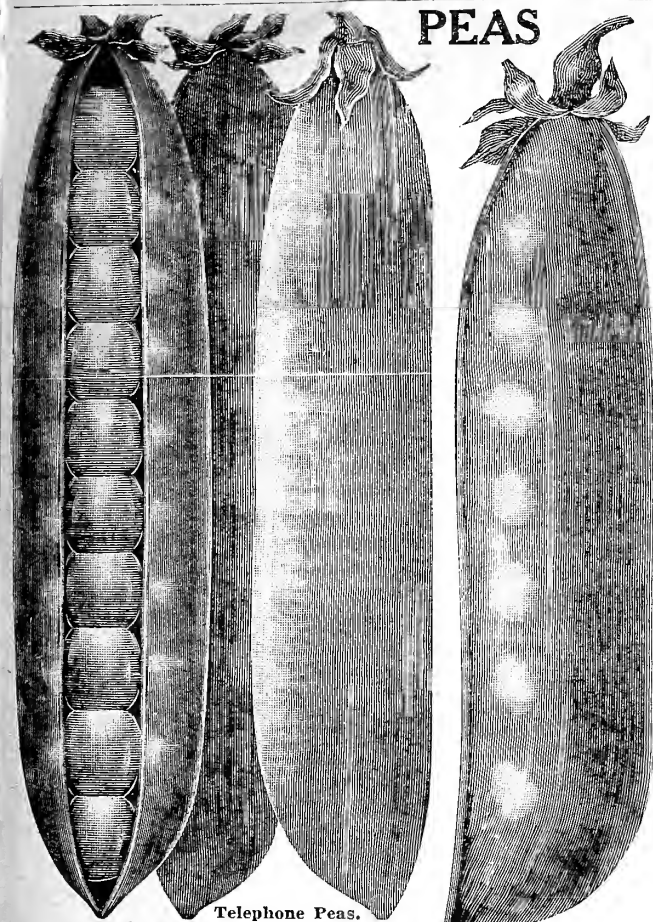
**PRIZE TAKER** produces large, handsome bulbs of superior quality and grows very uniform in size. Early a perfect globe. It has a very small neck and always ripens up hard and fine without any stiff necks. The skin is of a bright straw color and presents a handsome appearance in market. The bulbs grow to an enormous size, often measuring 10 to 15 inches in circumference, and attract a great deal of attention in any market. The keeping qualities are excellent and the bulbs appear to be as firm and solid in the spring as when put away in the fall.  
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

Prize  
Taker  
Onion.





## PEAS



Telephone Peas.

## Telephone

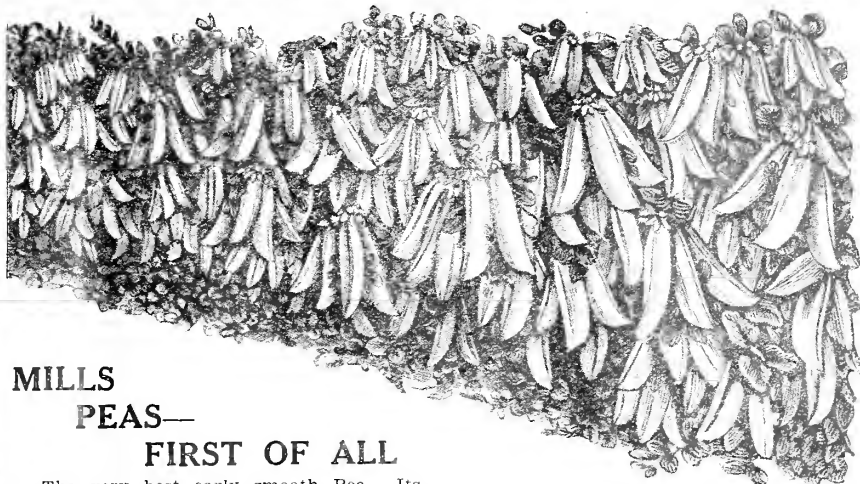
A strong, luxuriant growing main crop variety, attaining a height of about 4 feet. Very prolific, producing a large number of pods to the stalk. The pods are always large and filled with immense wrinkled marrow Peas, 6 to 8 being the average, while 10 to 12 peas to a pod are common.

Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 20c; 6 pkts., 30c; ½ pt., 25c; pt., 40c; postpaid.

Thomas Laxton.

Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 20c; 6 pkts., 30c; ½ pt., 25c; pt., 40c; postpaid.

**AMERICAN WONDER.**—Early pea and is preferred by many. Its earliness makes it a valuable sort to grow. It is of dwarf, robust habit, producing a profusion of good-sized, well-filled pods. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 20c; 6 pkts., 30c; ½ pt., 25c; postpaid.

MILLS  
PEAS—  
FIRST OF ALL

The very best early smooth Pea. Its height is about 2½ feet and produces pods of good size which are well filled with smooth, round, creamy white Peas that ripen so evenly as not to require more than two pickings to clear the crop. It is a favorite everywhere and I am sure will please all for early spring planting.

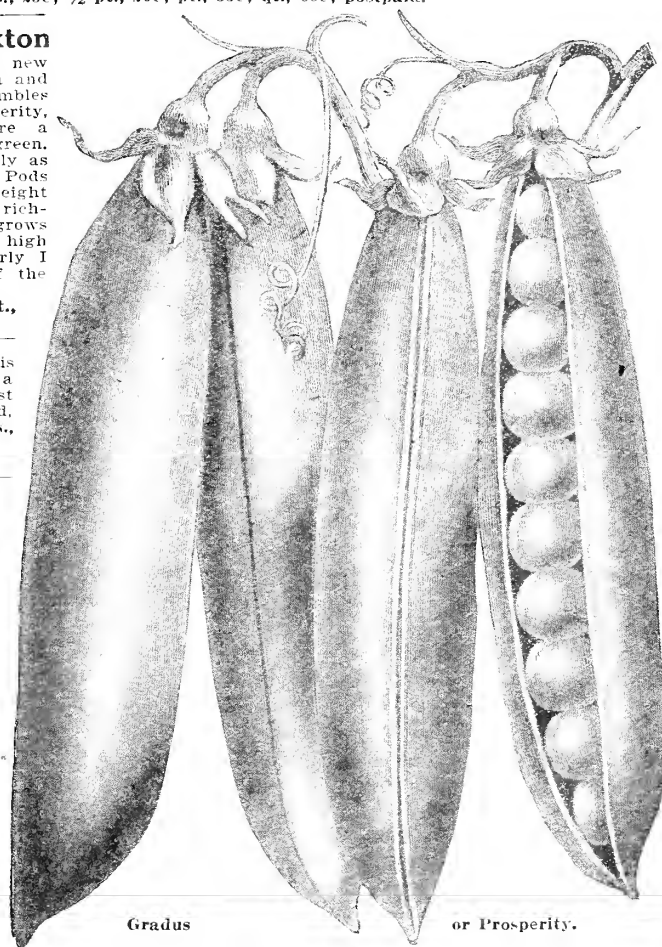
Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 20c; 6 pkts., 30c; ½ pt., 25c; pt., 40c; postpaid.

## Champion of England

A well-known variety and acknowledged to be one of the best for late sowing. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 15c; 6 pkts., 25c; ½ pt., 20c; pt., 35c; qt., 60c; postpaid.

## Thomas Laxton

This is a fine new early wrinkled pea and somewhat resembles Gradus or Prosperity, but the pods are a deeper and richer green. It is about as early as the First of All. Pods contain seven or eight large peas of the richest flavor. It grows about three feet high and as a first early I consider it one of the very best.



Gradus

or Prosperity.

## Gradus or Prosperity

It is popular wherever grown and it is considered one of the very best large-podded wrinkled peas which will mature pods only a few days later than the small-podded, round-seeded extra early varieties. The pods and peas are always large and remain tender and sweet for some time after they are large enough to use.

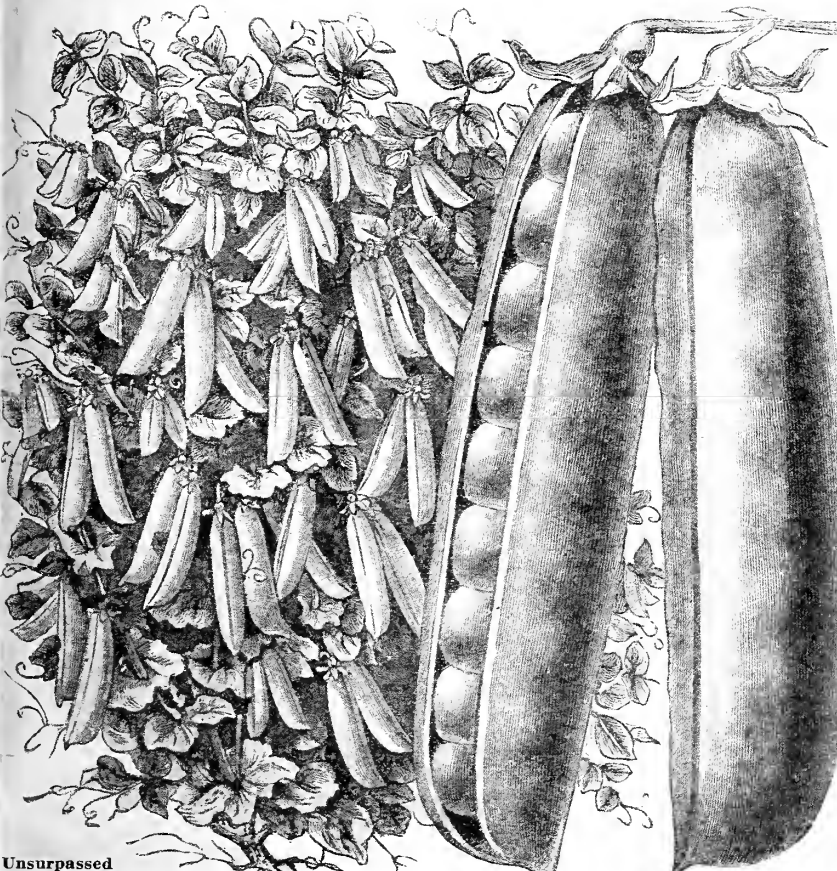
Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 20c; 6 pkts., 30c; ½ pt., 25c; pt., 40c; postpaid.

## Unsurpassed Everbearing

**UNSURPASSED EVERBEARING** grow about 2 to 2½ feet high and the strong, healthy vines grow very vigorously. They are immense yielders, producing enormous sized pods, always well filled with peas. They are free from mildew, which is common among late peas and they stand at the head for productiveness, while the flavor is the very best. If you want the very best hardy, productive and enormous yielding large pea, do not fail to plant **Unsurpassed Everbearing**. I have a very fine stock of seed now on hand which I am offering.

Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 20c; 6 pkts., 30c; ½ pt., 25c; pt., 40c; postpaid.

My Seed Pea Crop was almost a failure the past season and I am obliged to offer what stock I have in limited quantities in order to supply a few to all my customers.

Unsurpassed  
Everbearing Peas.



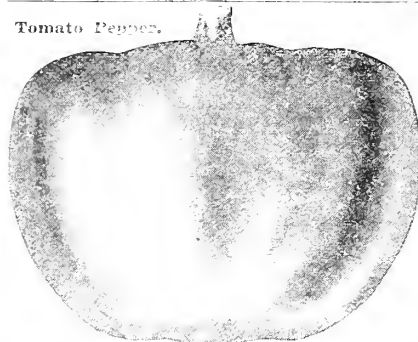
# PEPPERS

## Mills Improved Ruby King



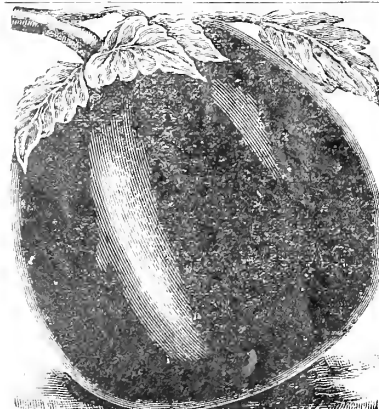
Mills Improved Ruby King Pepper

Tomato Pepper.



## New Tomato Pepper

Many people, when first seeing it, call it a Tomato. It makes an upright growth and is distinct from any other; enormously productive and so mild it can be eaten out of the hand like an apple. It bears from June until fall. Try it. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.



Black Beauty Egg Plant.

## Egg Plants

**BLACK BEAUTY.**—This is one of the earliest and best of all large-fruited Egg Plants. It grows large and the skin is a rich purple black. Is a real beauty. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

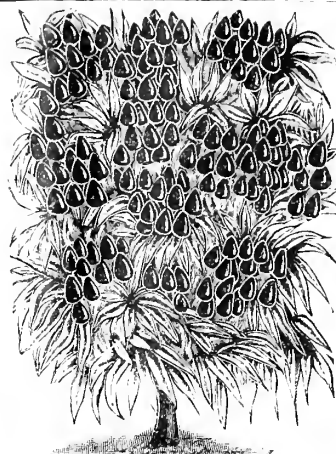
**NEW YORK IMPROVED LARGE PURPLE.**—Skin deep purple. Free from thorns. Flesh white; quite productive; considered one of the best. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; ½ oz., 25c; oz., 40c.

N. Y. Improved Large Purple Egg Plant.

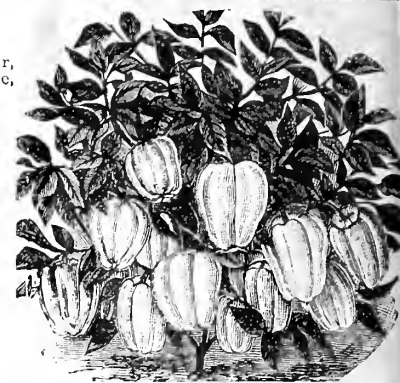
## Mammoth Golden Queen

This is the largest sweet yellow Pepper, handsome, very productive, perfect in shape, uniform in size, mild flavor and of a golden waxy yellow color. The illustration gives a good idea of the appearance of the plant of this handsome variety.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.



Mexican Bouquet Pepper.



Mammoth Golden Queen Pepper.

## Mexican Bouquet Pepper

The plant grows from 1½ to 2 feet high and is very prolific, always producing a large number of clusters of peppers in the form of a bouquet, as shown by the illustration, there being from 12 to 36 cone-shaped fruits to the bouquet, from ¾ to 1 inch long. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

**Long Red Cayenne.**—This is the true Cayenne; conical shaped; red; hot flavor.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

## Chinese Giant



Chinese Giant Pepper

## Mixed Peppers

I have made up a mixture of all the leading varieties of Peppers which will produce a great display of all the different shapes, colors and sizes and a valuable selection to make if one wants a good collection of Peppers. In this mixture will be found some new varieties not offered separately. By all means order a packet of this mixture.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

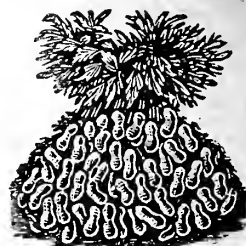
A large variety producing enormous fruits in great abundance on strong plants which grow about 2 feet high, of a handsome branching character. The peppers are thick, tender and mild, while the skin, when ripe, is of a brilliant scarlet. It certainly is a giant variety of the mildest flavor and pronounced the finest and largest pepper grown.

Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c; 6 pkts., 25c.

## EARLY SPANISH PEANUTS

This is a great peanut, especially for the far North. It is very early, and if planted early in May will ripen the first of September. The pods do not grow as large as those of other varieties, but its extreme earliness makes it a very desirable sort to grow everywhere. Try a few in your garden.

Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c.



Early Spanish Peanuts.



# Pumpkins

**MILLS GIANT** The Great Prize-WINNING VARIETY. See Back Cover for a reproduction from photograph. Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c; 6 pkts., 25c; oz., 20c.



My Surprise Mixture of Pumpkins.

## MY SURPRISE MIXTURE

**MY SURPRISE PUMPKIN MIXTURE IS A WONDER.**—You can grow a great lot of pumpkins, including earliest, medium and late varieties, with all the odd shaped and mammoth sorts, if you plant seed of this mixture. I have taken great pains in putting in many varieties that are good, but not listed in my book, making it the grandest collection of pumpkins ever offered. This seed will produce pumpkins of every imaginable shape and color, and I know you will be pleased with it. See illustration.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 55c; lb., \$1.00; postpaid.

## Quaker Pie Pumpkin

This is a handsome Pie Pumpkin, creamy white on the inside and out; flesh is sweet and rich.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c.

## Common Field Pumpkin

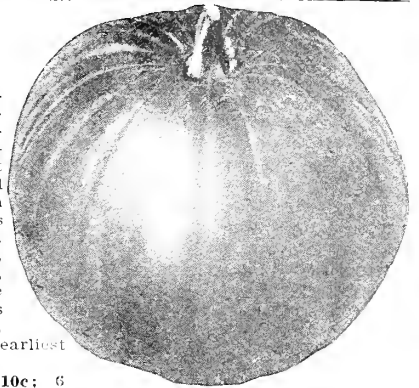
This is the ordinary Yellow Pumpkin used to plant in corn fields for feeding stock. It is very productive. Hardest of all and good for pies.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 9c; ¼ lb., 25c.

## Golden Sugar Pumpkin

Is a splendid Pie Pumpkin, which has been produced through a careful selection. The pumpkins are not large, but of excellent quality, and I am sure no Pumpkin ever introduced has given more satisfaction. It is extremely early, remarkably prolific, yielding six to twelve medium size Pumpkins to a vine; fine grain, sweet, sugary, and the earliest of all Pie Pumpkins.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 40c.

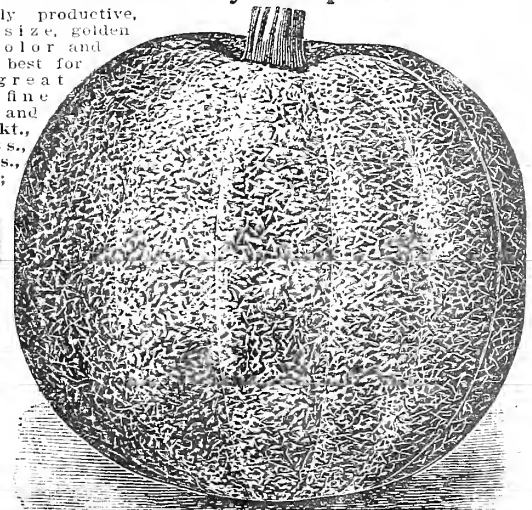


Golden Sugar Pumpkin.

## Winter Luxury Pumpkin

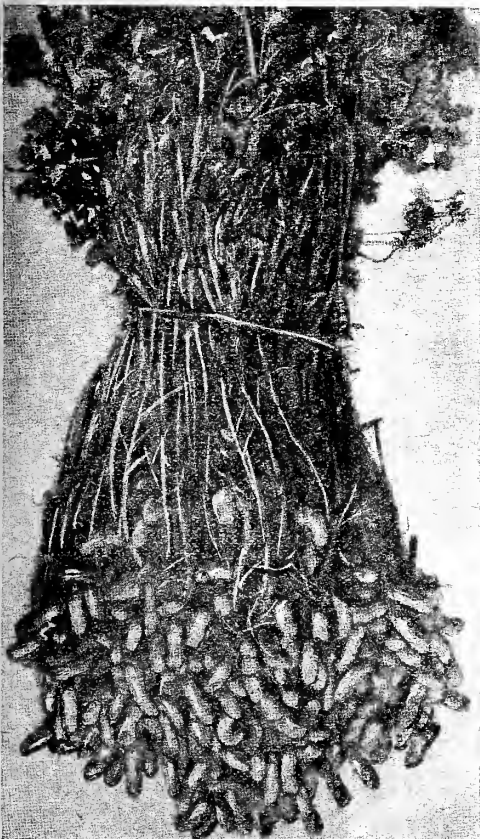
Enormously productive, of medium size, golden russet in color and one of the best for pies. A great keeper; fine grain; rich and sweet. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 40c.

Try  
Mills Giant  
Pumpkin

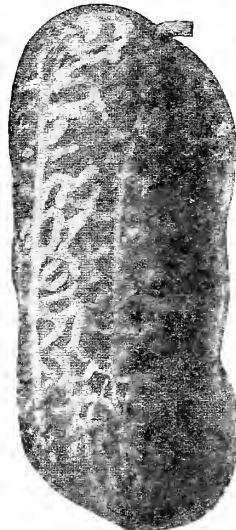


Winter Luxury Pumpkin.

## Selected Mammoth Peanuts



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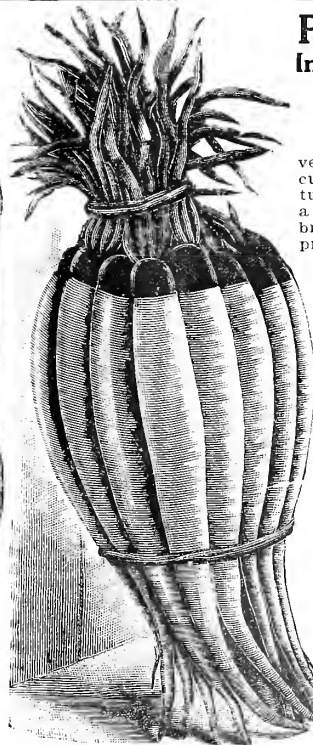


## Selected Mammoth Peanuts

Peanuts can be grown successfully in almost any place where corn succeeds. This variety contains earliness and large size, and is also very prolific and grows to an astounding size. They make compact bushes about 18 inches high. The giant nuts have a thick shell, quite heavily ribbed.

Every part is useful; the vines as valuable feed for horses, cattle and sheep; producing from one to two tons of vines per acre while the nuts contain a large per cent of rich nourishment.

Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 20c; 6 pkts., 30c.



Mammoth Sandwich Island Salsify or Vegetable Oyster.

## PARSNIP Improved Long Smooth or Sugar

This is one of the very best Parsnips in cultivation. It matures early, yielding a large crop and bringing the highest prices. The roots grow to a fine size, enabling them to be easily dug. They are very smooth, flesh is fine grained and of excellent quality. It is a great cropper, and is just the Parsnip to grow in the home garden. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

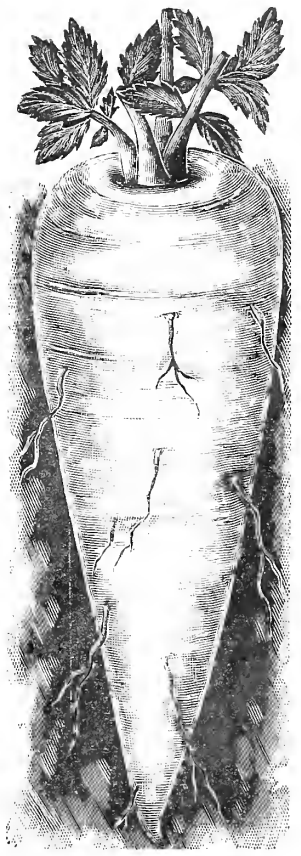
## SALSIFY

### Mammoth Sandwich Island Salsify or Vegetable Oyster

This is one of the largest and smoothest, and most profitable in cultivation. Roots are pure white in color, larger than the ordinary salsify, of very superior quality and fine flavor.

Flesh very fine grained, tender and of pronounced and agreeable oyster-like flavor. Invaluable to market gardeners, and just the one to grow in the home garden.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c.

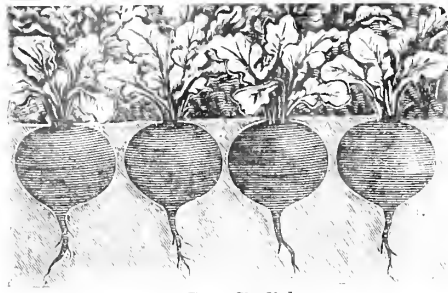


Imp. Long Smooth or Sugar Parsnip. The Best of All.

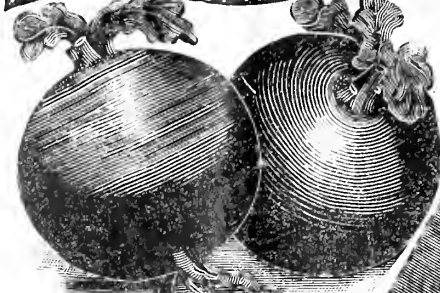


# RADISHES

## MILLS EARLIEST RADISH



15-Day Radish.



LONG SCARLET SHORT TOP RADISH

This is without doubt the best long red Radish. Very early and the leading outdoor quick-growing variety. Brittle and tender. Roots a bright red. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 25c.

## MILLS EARLIEST RADISH

This is a handsome Radish and without doubt one of the earliest in cultivation. It has been my favorite for years.

From four to six days ahead of the varieties offered by many who are claiming to have the earliest. It certainly is a beautiful variety, round with dark scarlet skin, very fine flavor, tender and surpasses all other strains of scarlet turnip Radishes. I know of no variety that will pay the market gardener better. Has short, narrow leaves, making a very short top and is sure to become a favorite with all who plant it. My seed stock is very fine and I can recommend it to all. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

## 15-DAY RADISH

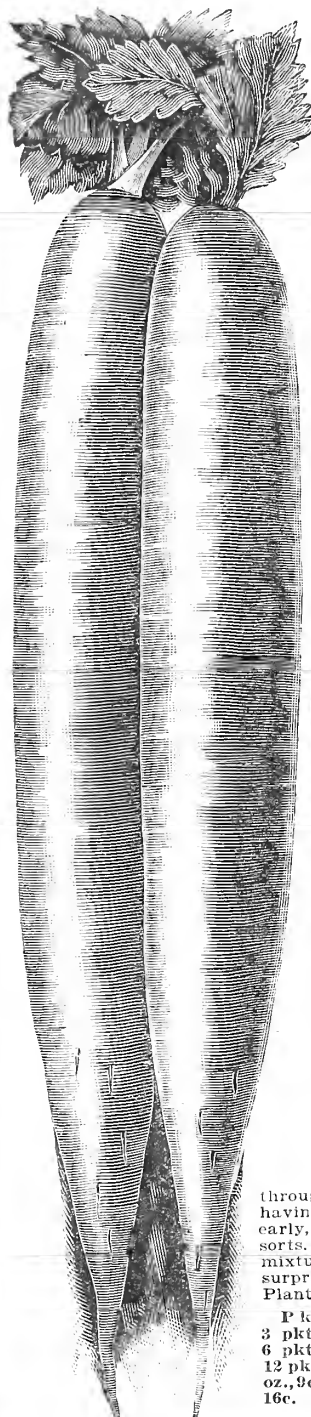
This Radish is a wonder for quick growth and I think is a few days ahead of my Earliest. Records show it has produced radishes fit to use in 15 days. Is very crisp and tender, of a deep scarlet color.

Mrs. H. J. Engleman, Canton, Ohio, writes: "I was more than pleased with your seeds. The 15-Day Radish was just grand. I cannot say too much for it." Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 20c.

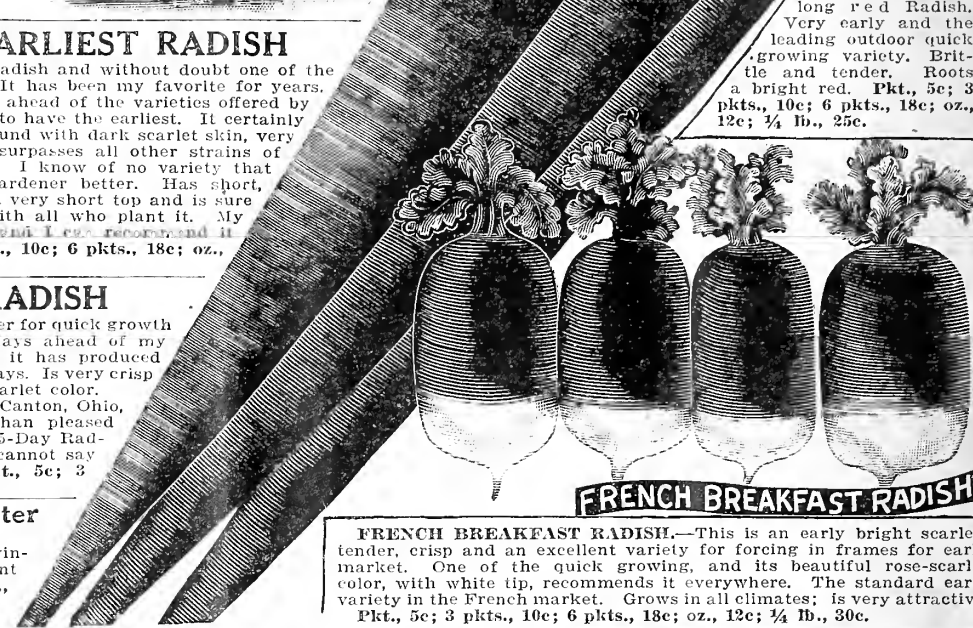
## Rose China Winter

(Scarlet China)

A bright rose-colored winter variety of excellent quality. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 25c.

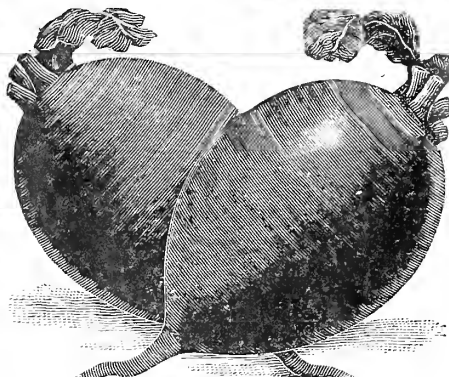


Iceicle.



## FRENCH BREAKFAST RADISH

FRENCH BREAKFAST RADISH.—This is an early bright scarlet; tender, crisp and an excellent variety for forcing in frames for early market. One of the quick growing, and its beautiful rose-scarlet color, with white tip, recommends it everywhere. The standard early variety in the French market. Grows in all climates; is very attractive. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.



Crimson Giant.

## Early Scarlet Turnip

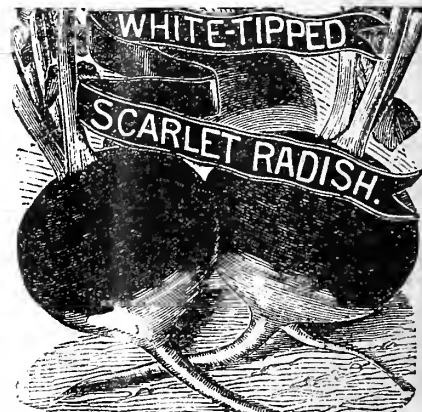
WHITE-TIPPED RADISH

This Radish is sure to please all who grow it. It presents a beautiful appearance in the market and is very popular. It is valuable for forcing under glass. The skin is very smooth; flavor excellent; tender, crisp and mild.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 25c.

## Crimson Giant

This is an early turnip-shaped Radish, but double the size of other varieties of that type, often measuring 6 to 7 inches in circumference. Notwithstanding its large size, it has an excellent flavor, mild and crisp, and has not the hollow or pithy center, while it is equally suitable for forcing or planting in the open ground as varieties developing to only half its size. It is a rapid grower. Give it a trial this year. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 25c.



## All-Seasons Radish Mixture

The best mixture of Radishes ever offered; contains all shapes, sizes and colors. A supply of this seed will be just the thing for small gardens when space is limited, and you want to make a garden with one sowing of seed. By sowing seed of this mixture, you will have radishes very early and continue

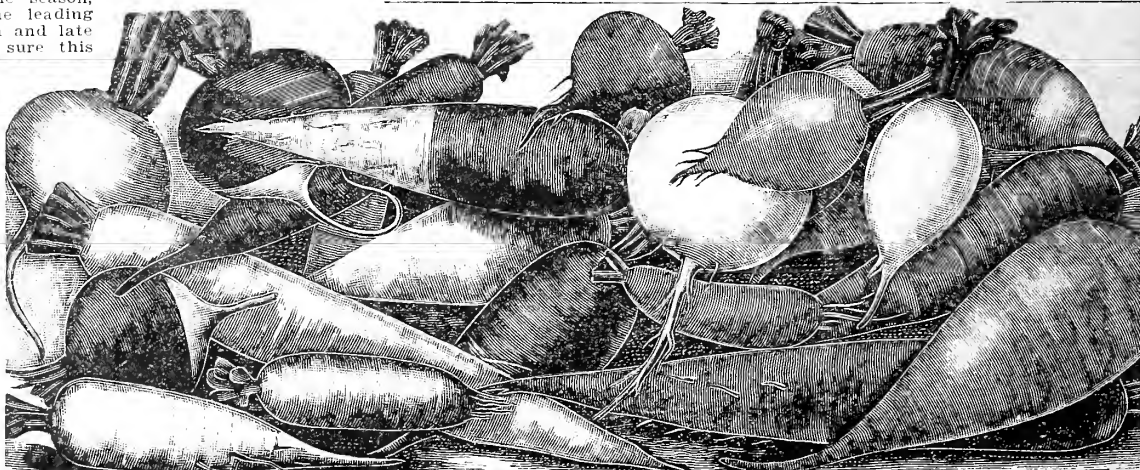
throughout the season, having all the leading early, medium and late sorts. I am sure this mixture will surprise you. Plant it.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; 12 pkts., 30c; oz., 9c; 2 ozs., 16c.

## ICICLE RADISH

This is a long, extra early variety with color of snow-white. It is crisp and brittle and of an excellent mild flavor, many claiming that it has a better flavor than the scarlet varieties. It has the same mild flavor at all stages of its growth and is the most popular of any of the white sorts. It is a short-top variety, having few leaves, and the roots are very uniform in size.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.



All-Seasons Radish Mixture.



# Selected Squashes

## True Hubbard

This is the well-known variety planted by more people than any other sort, and has become the American favorite. There is always a ready market in the large cities for this favorite sort. It out-sells all other varieties. I have taken particular care in selecting my strain and I believe my Hubbard is the choicest type of Hubbard Squash grown. The flesh is a rich yellow, is very fine grained, solid, sweet and dry. The strain is nearly always true in color, being a dark green. I can highly recommend my True Hubbard seed to all, and have a choice supply to offer at the following prices:

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c.

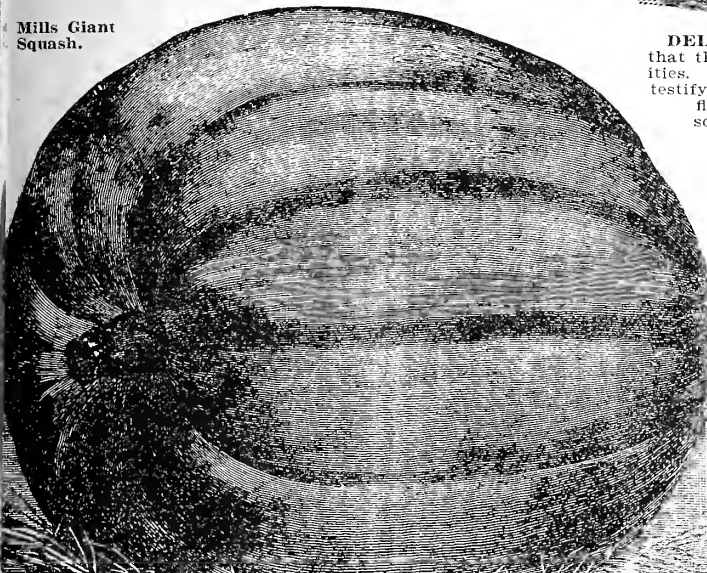
## Golden Summer Crookneck Squash

This Summer Squash is still the most desirable early summer variety. The outer skin is very rough and of a light orange yellow. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c.

## Squash Mixture

All the early and late sorts are included and is a good selection to plant for a collection of varieties. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 9c; ¼ lb., 25c; ½ lb., 40c.

Mills Giant Squash.

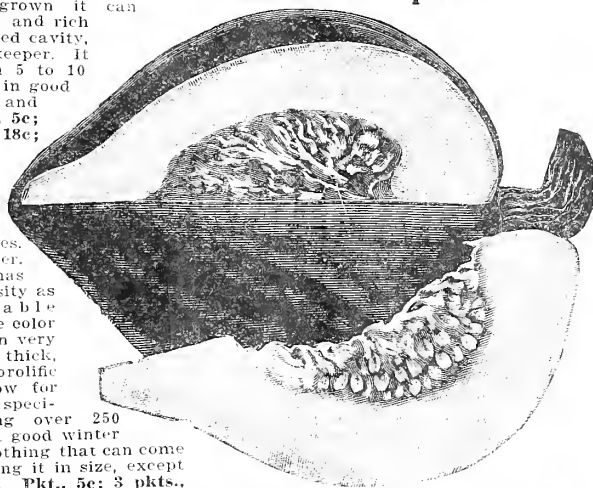


**DELICIOUS.**—It is claimed on good proof that this Squash has no equal in good qualities. Everyone who has grown it can testify to its fineness of grain and rich flavor. It has a small seed cavity, solid flesh and is a good keeper. It grows to weigh from 5 to 10 pounds, and has kept in good condition all winter and up to April 10. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c.

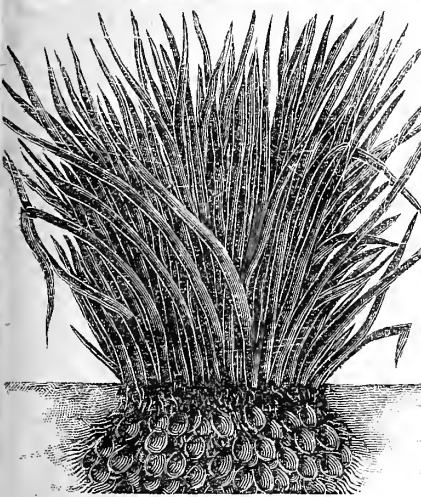
## MILLS GIANT SQUASH

Largest of all Squashes. It is a perfect wonder. This Giant Squash has become a great curiosity as well as very valuable wherever grown. The color is a bright yellow, skin very smooth, flesh quite thick, quality good, is very prolific and excellent to grow for exhibition at fairs, specimens often weighing over 250 pounds each. It is a good winter keeper, and there is nothing that can come anywhere near equaling it in size, except Mills Giant Pumpkin. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 20c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 55c.

## Delicious Squash



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Ground Almonds.

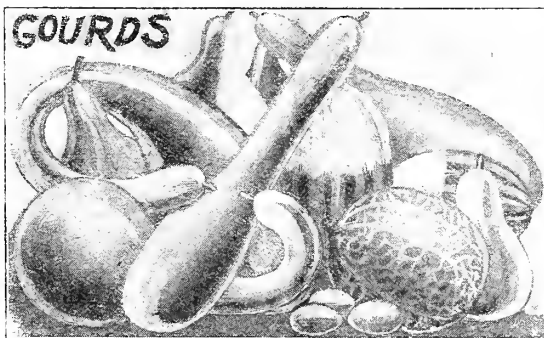
## Ground Almonds

The **GROUND ALMOND**, or Chufa, as some call it, has a fine flavor, resembling the Coconut or Almond.

The meat is snow-white, covered with a thin shell or skin of brown color. It grows close to the surface, is very prolific, a single nut yielding from 200 to 300 nuts in a hill and will do well in any kind of soil. If the nuts are planted in the spring, the same as potatoes, a big crop can be expected about potato harvest time. They grow so rapidly and produce such immense crops that you will be surprised when you see what is produced. Try them.

Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c; 6 pkts., 25c.

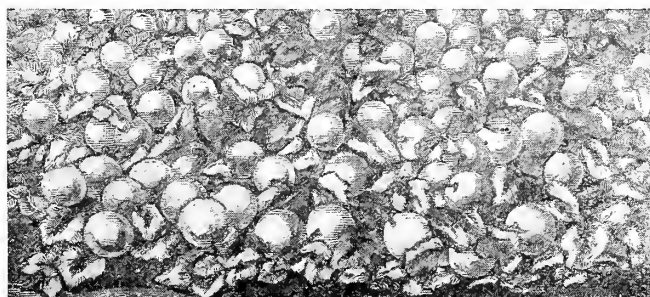
**SEND YOUR ORDER EARLY.** There will be a large demand for seeds this year.



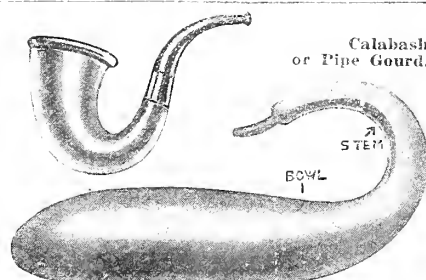
## Odd Collection of Gourds

Here is a wonderful mixture of rare, strange, curious Gourds one would never think of seeing. The colors, shapes and sizes would astonish you. Just the seed you will want to plant for a curiosity. Contains about all there is in the way of gourds.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.



Vegetable Orange or Garden Lemon.



Calabash or Pipe Gourd.

## Calabash Pipe Gourds

This is a wonderful, attractive vine which anyone can grow, and can be used in making pipes. They are the lightest pipes made, for their size, graceful in shape, color like meerschaum.

The plants thrive and do well in all parts of the country, producing an abundance of Gourds from which the pipes can be made. The vine is not only very productive, but ornamental and useful for covering arbors, fences and unsightly places. Anyone can grow it in the garden, back yard, or any place around the house.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

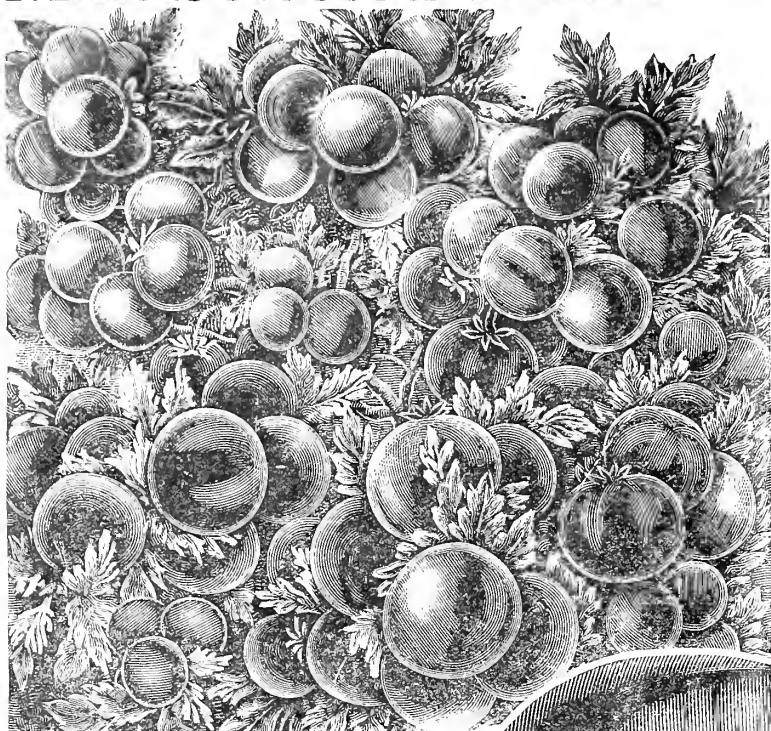
## Vegetable Orange or Garden Lemon

This is a splendid novelty of recent introduction, handsome in color and appearance and an enormous yielder. As shown, vines of this Vegetable Orange or Garden Lemon are smaller than a muskmelon vine, but they require about the same cultivation. It is a wonderful yielder, producing fruit about the size of an Orange, of a bright yellow color, somewhat russeted. In the West, where fruit is scarce, this Orange is rapidly becoming popular. For sweet pickles, pies or preserves, they are splendid and can be used in many ways.

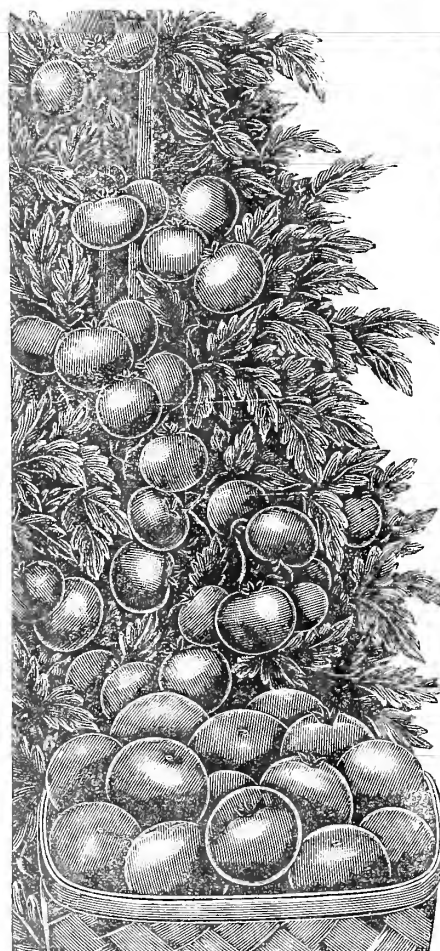
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# Mills Selected Tomatoes



One Plant of My Quick Crop Tomato.



Mills Early July Tomato.

## MILLS EARLY JULY TOMATO

This is a splendid early variety I have made quite a specialty of for several years. Its great value lies not only in the time of ripening its first fruits, but that such a quantity of fruit can be gathered from a single plant while many other early varieties ripen only a few fruits. They are perfectly smooth, large size and very handsome, the color being a bright red. They grow in large clusters, which ripen from July until killed by frost, and command the highest market price. This variety deserves a place in every garden, and I can highly recommend it. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 75c.

## EVERYBODY'S TOMATO See Front Cover

Every Garden must have this Wonderful Variety. See Description, Inside Front Cover. Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c; 6 pkts., 25c.

Leaflet, "How to Grow Tomatoes," free with order if asked for.

## Quick Crop Tomato—Earliest Tomato in Cultivation

This is the great tomato I recently introduced and I have received nothing but praise for it from every section where it has been grown. It has made wonderful records everywhere. It is handsome in shape, as will be seen by the illustration; very smooth, thick from stem to blossom end, very solid and heavy. Free from cracks and ridges, and the meat is solid, with only a few seeds. The color is a beautiful dark red. The fruits are produced in large clusters, ripening from early summer until killed by frost. Taking all points into consideration, it is the most perfect early tomato I have ever grown. Not only is it perfect in form and quality, but is a perfect wonder for earliness, producing large, handsome, red fruit ahead of any other variety I have grown. The vines grow strong and are very hardy, making it desirable for early planting. Not half enough can be said in favor of this great early tomato, and I want my customers to grow it this year. It deserves a place in every garden, and I highly recommend it to everyone.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

## Sparks Earliana Tomato

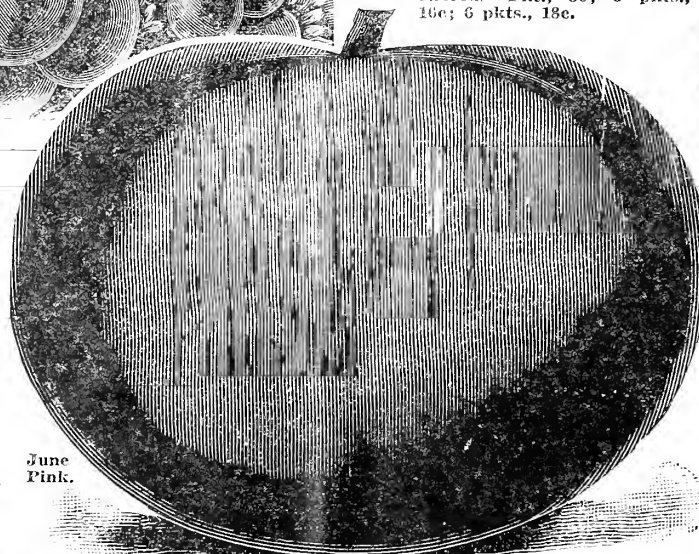
This is a perfectly smooth Tomato and is claimed to be one of the earliest varieties grown, especially adapted for market gardeners; of a beautiful red color. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c; 2 ozs., 35c.

## Golden Queen

A first-class, large, smooth, pure yellow Tomato, the best of the yellow class. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 20c.

## GREAT TOMATO COLLECTION

A packet of Mixed Tomato seeds will prove a great curiosity. It contains all the varieties I offer and many others. All the early, medium and late kinds of the different colors, shapes and sizes will be produced. One of the most interesting collections ever offered. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.



June Pink.

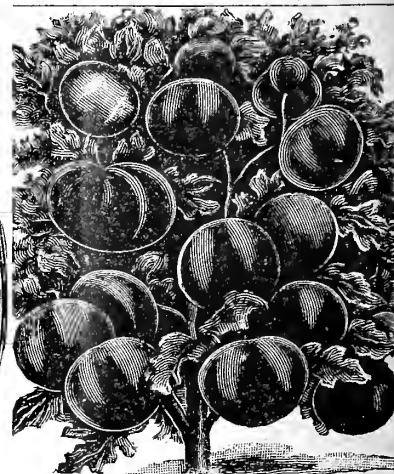
## Improved Extra Early Tree

A very early variety, grows erect, has a dark-green foliage and the plant is quite ornamental. Has been largely advertised as an Early Tree Tomato, and preferred by many. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

## JUNE PINK

Deep pink or purple. Young plants develop a large cluster of blossoms very soon after being planted in the garden. Fruit measures 3 to 5 inches in diameter, and is borne in clusters. Mild, sweet flavor. This tomato is well worth growing.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

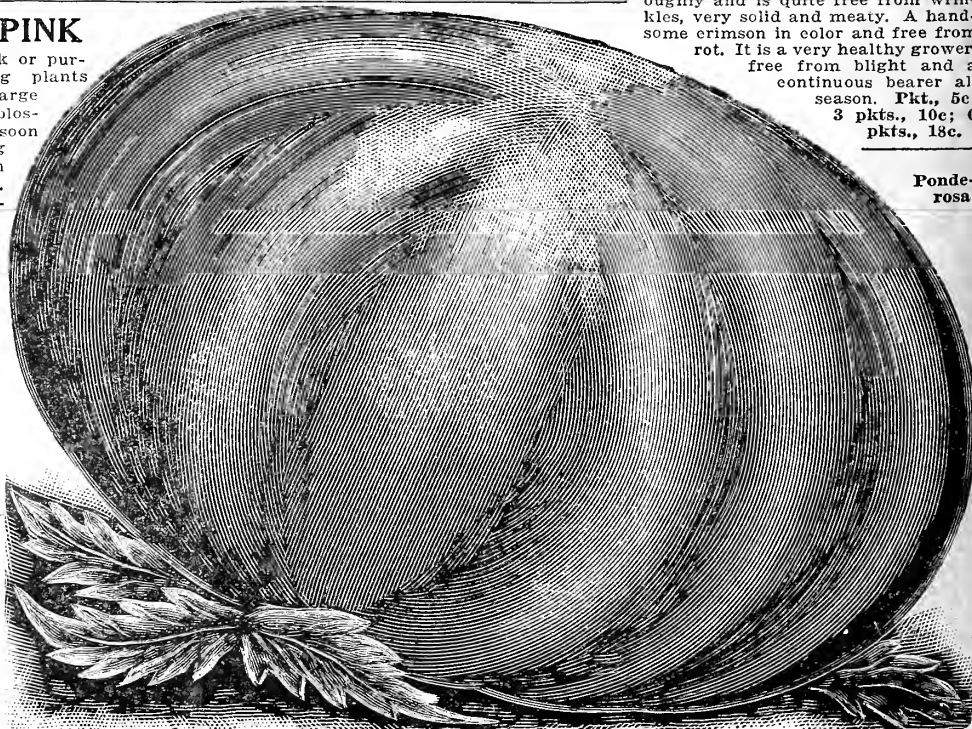


Improved Extra Early Tree.

## PONDEROSA

This variety is claimed by some to be the grandest Tomato ever grown. A large, handsome variety. Often attains a circumference measurement of 18 inches, and frequently weighs two pounds each. Perfect in form, almost seedless; ripens thoroughly and is quite free from wrinkles, very solid and meaty. A handsome crimson in color and free from rot. It is a very healthy grower, free from blight and a continuous bearer all season. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c.

Ponderosa.





## Giant Climbing OR MILLS MAMMOTH PRIZE TOMATO

This great tomato is known as Giant Climbing or Mills Mammoth Prize, and is one of the largest Tomatoes grown. I introduced it several years ago, and it has given great satisfaction everywhere. It possesses every good quality to be found in a Tomato. Vines are strong and vigorous and when properly trained will easily attain the height of 15 feet and carry an enormous weight of fruit. Its massive fruits are almost perfect in form, and are free from ridges, and as to size, weight and solidity, no other mammoth Tomato can approach it. I have seen specimens of this Tomato that weighed three and one-fourth pounds, and specimens weighing two and three pounds each are a common occurrence. The skin is exceedingly firm and a marked peculiarity of this variety is that it is almost seedless. If started early, the fruit will ripen from July until killed by frost. There is no garden complete without this mammoth Tomato.

**CAUTION.**—There are the short growing bush tomatoes called Tree Tomatoes and the tall growing tomatoes called Tree Tomatoes, but if you want the true GIANT CLIMBING, order your seed of me and you will not be disappointed.

Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 15c; 6 pkts., 25c.

## Garden Turnips and Rutabagas

### Early Snowball or Six Weeks Turnip

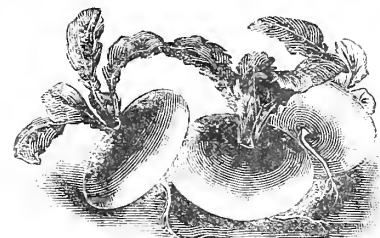
This is one of the Best Extra Early Turnips in cultivation. The bulb is of medium size, white, smooth and of excellent flavor. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 50c.

### Purple Top Strap Leaf

The bulb is very flat, of medium size and quite smooth, with a bright purple top; very fine grained. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 25c; ½ lb., 40c.

### Early White Flat Dutch

This is another early variety which grows to a medium size very quickly. It has a clear white skin and is always choice for table use, and is one of the very best varieties for spring sowing. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 25c; ½ lb., 40c; 1 lb., 75c.



Purple Top Strap Leaf.

Early Snowball or Six Weeks Turnip.

### Extra Early Milan

One of the earliest varieties grown. Bulbs are flat, of medium size, smooth, with a small purple top. Flesh is pure white; fine grained, hard, solid, and an excellent keeper. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 50c.

**GOLDEN BALL.**—Very early; fine quality and keeps well; excellent for table use or stock feeding. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 25c; ½ lb., 40c; 1 lb., 75c.

**BREADSTONE.**—Is medium size, very quick growing, and roots are smooth white, with colored tops; flesh perfectly white, fine grained, cooks quickly. One of the best in cultivation for winter and spring use. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 50c.

**IMPROVED AMERICAN PURPLE TOP RUTABAGA.**—One of the best varieties. Of fine quality, it keeps hard and brittle until summer, and after "Heavy Cropping" is the largest yielder of them all. It is one of the best for table and stock feeding. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c.

**HEAVY CROPPING RUTABAGA.**—This is a magnificent Rutabaga and one of the most profitable of Swede Turnips as well as the hardiest, heaviest, best shape and most productive. The flesh is yellow, of the choicest quality, and bulbs always remain sound and good when flatter varieties will rot. Crop very short this year. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c.

**SUPERB MIXTURE OF TURNIPS.**—This mixture contains all the leading varieties, both early and late, and by sowing this seed a continuous supply may be had throughout the season. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 25c.



### White Egg

A variety that produces egg-shaped roots, with thin, white skin, always solid, sweet and a good keeper. Excellent for early or late sowing. Very desirable for table use. One of my best.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 25c; ½ lb., 40c; 1 lb., 75c.

Heavy Cropping Rutabaga.



### GIANT WHITE SWEET RUTABAGA

A very choice Rutabaga, growing to a good size, always solid, rich flavor, while the flesh is pure white. Just the Rutabaga to grow in the garden to get a big yield from a small plot of ground. I can recommend this as the very best White Rutabaga.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; oz., 12c; ¼ lb., 30c; ½ lb., 50c.



# MILLS CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS

My specialty is High-Grade Garden Seeds, but I devote a few pages to Flower Seeds, offering the leading varieties that grow and flower the first year from seeds.

I have a good supply of seeds and offer them at very low prices for high-grade, strictly first-class stock.

## Earliest Blooming Asters

All those who want Asters very early in the season should grow this one, which is the earliest in cultivation; from three to four weeks earlier than any other Aster. Its large flowers, as well as its spreading habit of growth, make it a handsome plant. All Colors, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

## Giant Branching Comet Asters

Here is a novelty which originated in California and is sure to please everyone. The plants grow about 15 inches high and branch vigorously; often a plant measures 20 inches across. The stems are frequently 12 inches long and each plant produces from 25 to 30 blossoms. The flower is full, double, measuring 3 to 5 inches, and is truest comet type. All Colors, Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

## MILLS FAVORITE COLLECTION OF GIGANTIC FLOWERING ASTERS



### Mills Gigantic Flowering Asters

I have found that my customers desire a good collection of Mixed Asters, and for this reason I have made up one which I consider cannot be equaled. It contains many different varieties, each variety made up of several separate colors, which will produce a gorgeous display of Asters simply impossible to describe. It is by far the greatest collection of Mixed Asters on the market, and a packet of seed will produce an abundance of flowers throughout the season. The illustration gives but a faint idea of their beauty, but you can imagine what a wonderful collection of flowers can be grown from such a mixture of Aster seed. This seed comes from the largest Aster growers and I want all my customers to give it a trial this season.

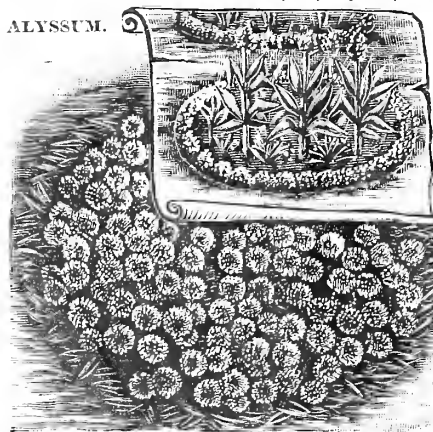
All Colors in a Mixture, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

## ALYSSUM

**LITTLE GEM.**—Grows two to four inches high and one plant will completely cover a circle 12 by 14 inches in diameter. Very fragrant, and the flowers are pure white. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**SWEET.**—This is pure white, much used for borders; is fragrant and produces very delicate flowers. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

ALYSSUM.

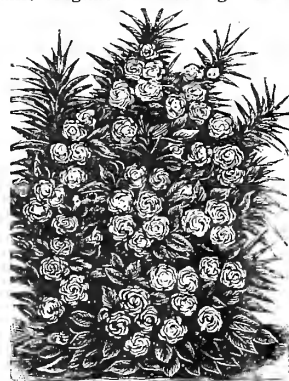


## COSMOS

These Giant Flowering Cosmos often produce flowers 4 to 5 inches across. For cutting this is one of the finest flowers grown, long stems and feathery foliage, produce a graceful effect. They are easily raised from seed.

**ALL COLORS, MIXED.**—This contains all the varieties, which make a great display of colors. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

Mills Gigantic Flowering Asters.



Defiance Balsam Mixed.

## DEFIANCE BALSAM

This is without question the most attractive mixture of Balsam seed ever grown. It produces plants that are covered with very large, double flowers of all the colors imaginable. It will be a favorite wherever grown.

All Colors, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

MY FLOWER SEEDS ARE ALL TESTED



Give this beautiful little plant a place. Mixed Colors, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**FOXGLOVE (Digitalis).**—Produces long spikes of richly colored flowers, excellent for cutting. A very showy plant. Blooms the first season. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

## CALLIOPSIS

These are half hardy annuals of quick growth, bearing a profusion of bright colored flowers. I offer a choice collection of colors and if the seed is sown thickly where the plants are to bloom as early in the spring as the soil can be dug, an abundance of bloom may be expected.



Calliopsis.

Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

## Giant Hyacinth Flowered Candytuft

The flower heads grow nearly 6 inches long and about 3 inches in diameter, and the color is snow white. The plants grow about 14 in. high and bear from 4 to 6 of these immense flower heads on one upright stalk and each plant will send out 4 to 8 branches.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c. All Colors, Mixed. — Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

## CELOSIA

(Coxcomb)

All Varieties, Mixed.—This will make a great collection, producing many curious plants and flowers.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



Giant Hyacinth Flowered Candytuft.



## EVERBLOOMING ANNUAL HOLLYHOCK

I have been unable until recently to secure seed of the true Everblooming Hollyhock, as illustrated. They are as easily grown from seed as any annual and commence flowering in about 12 weeks and continue to bloom until killed by frost. On account of their blooming the first season they are much more desirable to grow than any other Hollyhock, as they can be started in the house or hot beds in March or April, or sown in the open ground in May. Plants from early sown seed set out in May will commence blooming in July and will produce an abundance of bloom throughout the season. This Annual Hollyhock is a wonderful free flowering sort, as shown by the illustration. The forms and colors among the flowers would be a surprise to anyone. They are produced in double flowers, semi-double, single, saucer-shaped flowers, some with smooth-edged petals, while others are fringed and of various shapes and shades. The flowers are usually very large, sometimes measuring over five inches across. For great variety of color we know of no Hollyhock that will make such a gorgeous display, as the colors and markings are beyond description and should be grown to be appreciated. The plants grow very strong and vigorous and are of a branching habit. The center spike will attain a height from 7 to 9 feet, but it can be kept at any desirable height by pinching off the top. To get the best results plants should be set in thoroughly rich soil and kept watered in dry weather.

Price of seed containing a great mixture of double and semi-doubles, all colors and shades, per pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**Blooms from  
Seed the  
First Season.  
Grow It.**



### Giant Early Flowering Carnations AN EARLY FLOWERING STRAIN

This is a wonderful strain of early Flowering Dwarf Perpetual Carnation which will produce flowers in three or four months from seed. The seed I offer should give nearly 90 per cent of double blossoms. The plant is of dwarf, compact habit, branching out just above the ground. The variety of colors includes blush, deep pink, white, salmon, maroon, dark crimson and many beautiful variegated flowers, a great many of which have beautiful fringed petals and are very fragrant.

The plants grow easily anywhere. In about 12 weeks after the seed is sown they begin to bloom and an abundance of flowers will be produced until frost comes. Seed sown during the summer will produce plants which can be potted in the fall and will produce an abundance of blooms throughout the winter.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



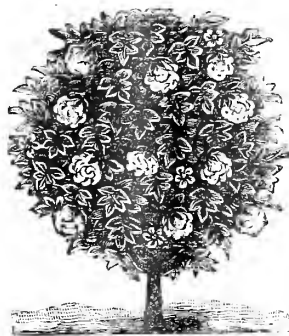
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### Datura

#### SWEET NIGHTINGALE

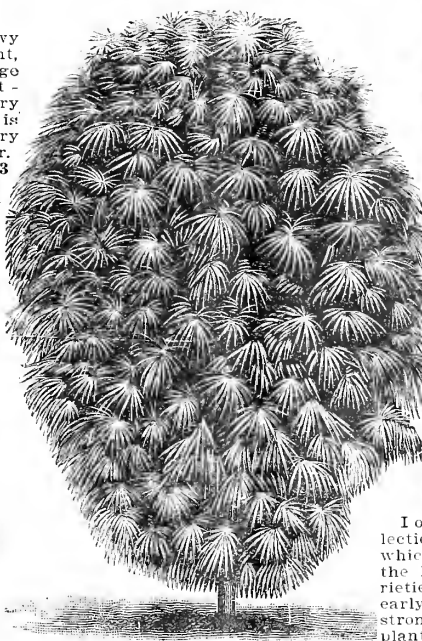
This is a very showy and delicate pot plant, producing immense large white trumpet-shaped flowers very quickly from seed, is fragrant and a very interesting flower.

Per pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



### New Ornamental Cotton

This Cotton makes a very beautiful decorative plant when growing, and for cutting in the fall for house as everlasting, there is nothing better. Some leaves are green, white, yellow and red. The cotton is snow white. Grows easily from seed. Be sure to place your order for a little of the seed. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



Kochia Scoparia.

### Kochia Scoparia (SUMMER CYPRESS)

A beautiful plant, very unique and ornamental. The rounded globe-like form resembles a delicate evergreen highly colored. Nothing handsomer for an annual hedge. Early in fall ends of shoots are thickly set with small bright scarlet flowers. Plants are very showy. When planted in rows singly to show the round, ball-like form they are very striking. Easily grown from seed and can be planted in the ground early in spring. My illustration shows a plant as it appears in fall. Grow it this year. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



Everblooming Annual Hollyhock.



### Giant Larkspur

An improved type, producing large flowers, very double, of various colors, shades and markings, which are borne on long spikes like immense Hyacinths. Can be easily grown in the open ground. All Colors, Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### Mignonette

FINE MIXED. — This comprises all known varieties. It is a very choice selection. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

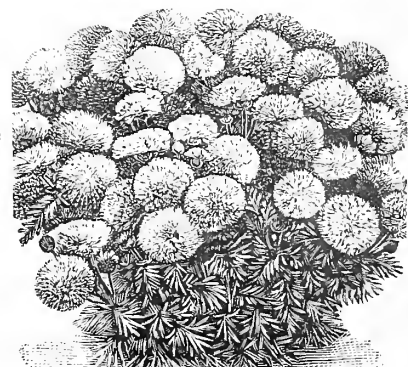
### Baby Golden Glow

This is a beautiful annual, producing a yellow flower, which makes a pleasing effect. They will begin blooming early in the season and each plant will produce hundreds of bright yellow flowers as double and perfect as roses. Seeds should be sown early in the house or hot bed and plants transplanted to the garden as soon as frost is past. The Baby Golden Glow grows only from twenty inches to two feet in height and resembles the famous Golden Glow which is a tall growing, late flowering perennial plant. I am sure that this will make a very interesting plant and have succeeded in securing a choice supply of seed.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### Coleus

I offer a choice collection of colors, which includes all the large-leaved varieties. Seeds sown early will produce strong, vigorous plants. The culture is very easy. Mixed Colors, pkt., 8c; 3 pkts., 20c.



Baby Golden Glow.



### SHOO-FLY PLANT

Here is a very interesting curiosity of the Physalis family. It is claimed that flies will not stay in a room where it is grown if they can escape. It is hard to understand this, as the flower does not seem to have any odor. It is a great plant to bloom when grown in pots summer or winter, and it is a most remarkable free flowering plant, blooming in a short time from seed. On account of the blossoms being large, cup-shaped and of a delicate light blue color, with a white center, I am sure it will be highly prized by all who grow it. It can be easily grown from seed.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

My Flower Seeds are All Tested



## NASTURTIIUMS

**MILLS DWARF BRILLIANT BEAUTIES.**—Produces a wonderful display of flowers of all colors to be found in Nasturtiums. Colors are very intense; plants grow about one foot high and one foot across and are literally covered with showy bloom.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; oz., 15c.

**GIANT CLIMBING.**—This is the King of all Giant Nasturtiums. It is as beautiful as an Orchid on account of the giant flowers. Plants grow very strong and vigorous with large, dark-green foliage, producing great quantities of flowers of all colors, some measuring over 3½ inches across. Just the variety to plant by an arbor or fence to make a wonderful display of colors.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; oz., 15c.

## NICOTIANA

**SANDERAE HYBRIDS.**—These flower from early summer until late in autumn. Their beauty is beyond description, flowers produced being purple, snow-white, dark and light red, violet, salmon, crimson, pink and various other shades. It is a very easily cultivated plant, thrives in any soil, either in pots, boxes, or in the open ground. Flowers are nearly as large as a petunia, with tubes five inches long, and many of the flowers are delightfully scented. You should not miss this excellent plant, as it is good for summer, fall or winter blooming. Cut blooms last well, opening freely in water.

All Colors, Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**Marigold TOM THUMB, Mixed.**—These form compact little bushes, 6 to 8 inches high, covered with handsome blossoms from summer until fall. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**French, Mixed Colors.**—These produce large double flowers of rich dark shades. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



Mills Dwarf Brilliant Beauties Nasturtium.



Nicotiana, Sanderæ Hybrids.

## Brilliant Mixed Poppies

These Poppies grow 12 to 15 inches high, branch freely and bloom continuously for weeks. Flowers are immense, both in size and color. Their colors run through all shades and make a gorgeous sight all summer. All Colors. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

## Perennial Poppies

The single perennial Poppies are perfectly hardy and very attractive on account of the large handsome flowers. Colors, white, red, orange and yellow; flowers measure 6 to 9 inches across. All Colors, Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

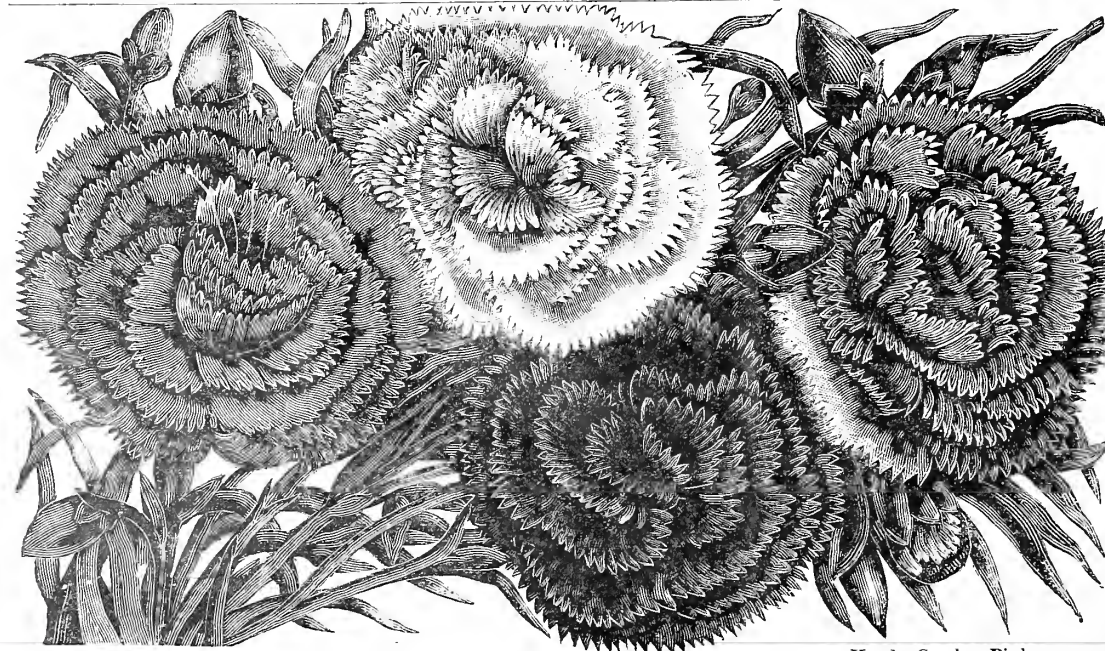


Brilliant Mixed Poppies.

**Scarlet Banded Poppy** A great curiosity. New species from Asia Minor. Doubtless the finest of the open-ground poppies. Blooms all summer, producing flowers 2 to 2½ inches across, with a fiery dark orange scarlet band and with black spots at base. The branching plants grow about 16 in. high. Try it. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**Snowdrift Poppy** This is a large variety producing pure white flowers, perfectly round and double, of large size and at a little distance a bed of them looks like a drift of snow, making a grand sight. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**Snapdragon** This is a charming, old-fashioned flower produced in many colors, such as yellow, scarlet, white, etc. It is a perennial and blooms well the second season. It succeeds well as an annual. All Colors, Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



Hardy Garden Pinks.

## GLOBE OF GOLD SUNFLOWER

A dwarf sunflower growing about three feet high. Branches freely, carrying medium-sized, double, globe-shaped flowers of rich, deep golden yellow, hence its name, Globe of Gold. Easily grown and the most densely double of any sunflower. Handsome on lawns or in the garden. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

## Ricinus (Castor Oil Bean)

**ZANZIBARENSIS.**—This is a handsome, quick growing Ricinus or Castor Oil Bean and if planted in the open ground in May should be in full foliage by July and attain a height of from 12 to 14 feet during the season. This is a giant variety and a few plants in a large bed make a most picturesque sight, to be admired a long distance. The gigantic leaves measure 2½ to 4 feet across.

Giant Varieties, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

## Dusty Miller

(Centaurea Gymnocarpa)

One of the prettiest of ornamental leaved plants. The leaves are white and are beautiful for vases, edgings, ribbons or mixed with cut flowers. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



## Forget-Me-Not

**ALPESTRIS BLUE.**—A grand free-flowering sort, and the very best variety. Will thrive in almost any soil.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



Globe of Gold Sunflower.

## DIANTHUS

### Hardy Garden Pinks

These are the most beautiful of summer flowering annuals. They are unrivaled for brilliancy and variety of colors. The plants are bushy, of symmetrical form, about a foot high. The flowers grow to a large size, averaging about six inches in circumference. There is a wonderful variety of colors and they are intensely brilliant and varied. Colors are beyond description.

**DWARF SNOWBALL.**—These are pure white, producing an abundance of double flowers. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**DWARF FIREBALL.**—Produces double fiery red flowers throughout the summer and fall. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**LARGE FLOWERING DOUBLE HYBRID.**—All colors. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**CHOICE SINGLE MIXED.**—All colors. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### Wallflowers

**FINE GERMAN DOUBLE MIXED.**—This is a splendid mixture; contains a large collection of shades and colors.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**CHOICE SINGLE MIXED.**—This includes all single varieties and a good variety of colors. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### Four O'Clocks

Are very beautiful and picturesque, with flowers of striking colors, which contrast finely with the dark-green, glossy foliage. Best Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



# SWEET PEAS

## My Giant Flowering Gorgeous Mixture

Greatest Mixture of Colors ever offered. If there is only one flower you select from my Seed Book, let it be this selection of Sweet Peas. It includes all the best of the Spencers. They begin to bloom early and continue to bloom for months. Sow a liberal quantity of seed.

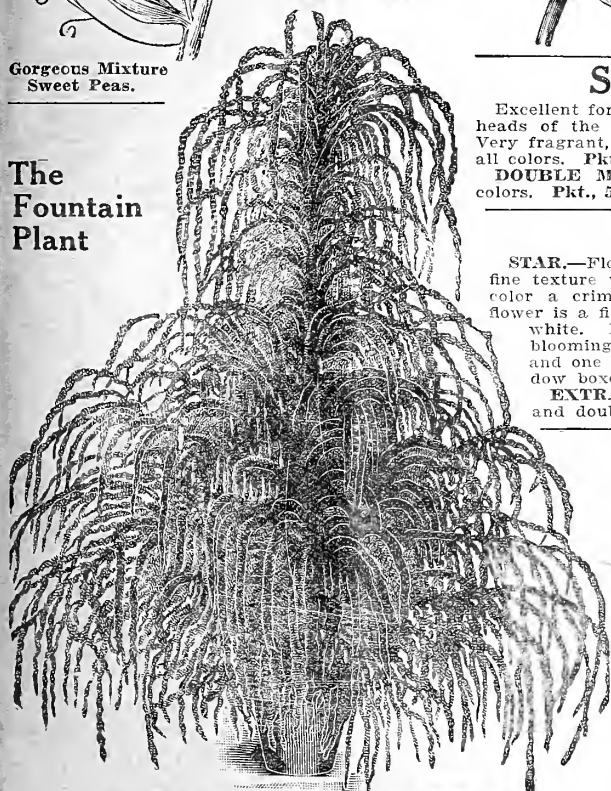
Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 20c; oz., 25c.



Order Your  
Seeds Early  
This Year

Gorgeous Mixture  
Sweet Peas.

### The Fountain Plant



### Great Decorative Plant

The Fountain Plant, or "Amaranthus Salicifolius," is a very beautiful annual, peculiar in form and color. Finest of all decorative plants, bearing long, wavy racemes of curious drooping branches shaded with orange, bronze and crimson. They make beautiful drooping plants. Succeed anywhere. Seeds grow readily. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### Spencer Hybrid Sweet Pea OR GIANT ORCHID- FLOWERED

This is the Sweet Pea that is very popular. The illustration gives but a little idea of its mammoth size, and a very faint idea of the shape. The enormous flowers are waved to a remarkable degree, giving them the well-deserved title of **Giant Orchid-Flowered**—beyond comparison with all other varieties. The harmony of soft coloring in this mixture is beyond the power of words to describe. This mixture contains shades of white, crimson, lavender, blush, etc., often many shades of the same color.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 20c.



Earliest of All Sweet Peas.

### Sweet William

Excellent for edging or for borders, producing large heads of the richest flowers early in the summer. Very fragrant, excellent for bouquets. Single mixed, all colors. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**DOUBLE MIXED.**—Produces double flowers, all colors. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### Petunias

**STAR.**—Flowers 2 to 2½ inches in diameter, of fine texture with more or less veining. Ground color a crimson maroon; in the center of the flower is a five-rayed star of light blush pink or white. Height of plant, 1½ to 2 feet. Free blooming, sometimes 100 flowers on a single plant, and one of the most attractive for bedding, window boxes or borders. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**EXTRA CHOICE MIXED.**—All best colors, single and double. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### Godetia (Satin Flower)

**SATIN ROSE.**—This produces handsome, very large, showy flowers of a rich, velvety satin rose, the petals of which shine like satin. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**FINE MIXED COLORS,** pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### Ten Weeks Stocks

**LARGE FLOWERING GLOBE PYRAMIDAL.**—This kind produces immense spikes of perfectly double flowers; individual blooms measuring from 2 to 2½ inches in diameter. Colors are crimson, white, rose, blue, lilac, brown, flesh color, apple blossom and yellow. They are greatly prized for cut flowers on account of their fragrance and many colors.

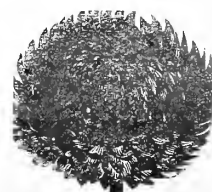
All Colors, Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**DWARF GERMAN.**—Fine, mixed. All Colors, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**Centaurea New Giant Imperial (Centaurea Imperialis).**—This Giant Centaurea is a rapid, easy grower, soon making a large plant. The flowers are large and very sweet scented and it has the same form and fragrance as Centaurea Marguerite. The color variation is very great. All Colors Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

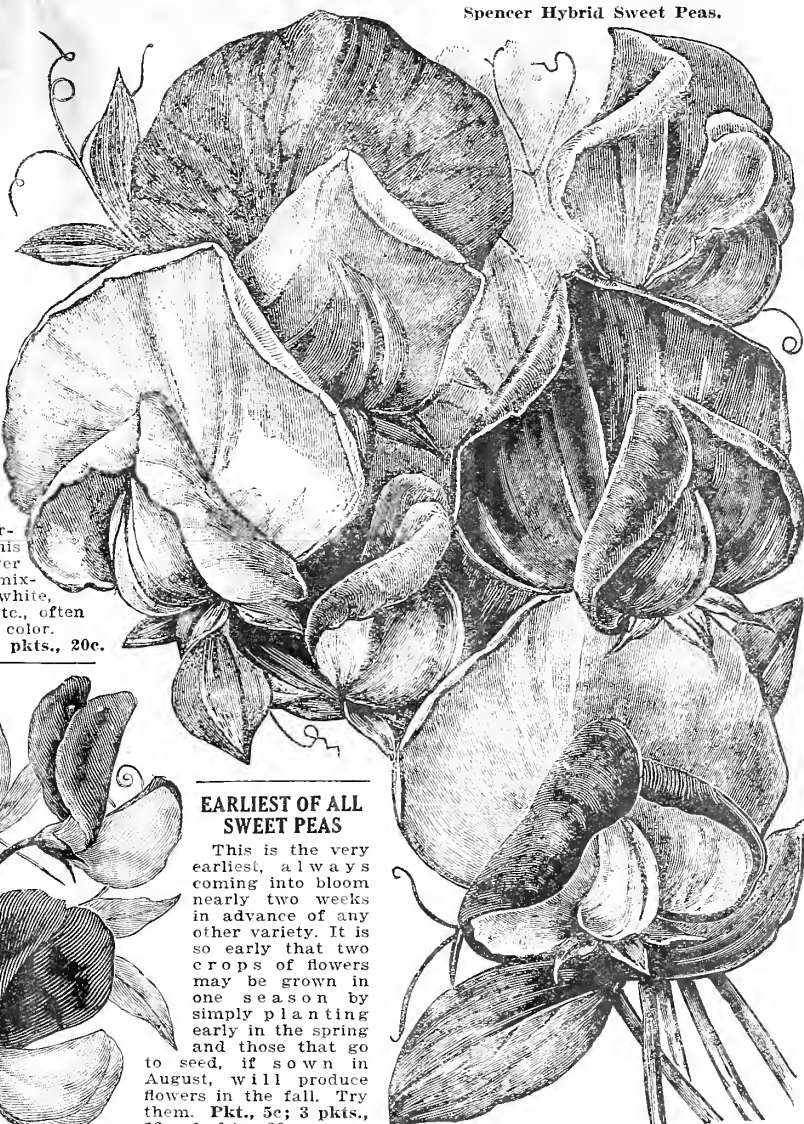
**Smilax** No climbing plant surpasses it in the graceful beauty of its glossy green foliage. Its wavy form renders it valuable for vases, or to hang and droop from baskets or trellises. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**Helichrysum (Everlasting).**—A collection of all the leading varieties of everlasting flowers. Very attractive, a bouquet will keep for years without watering and look as fresh as when first picked. We offer a very choice collection of mixed colors, and our seed cannot be excelled in this country. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



Everlasting.

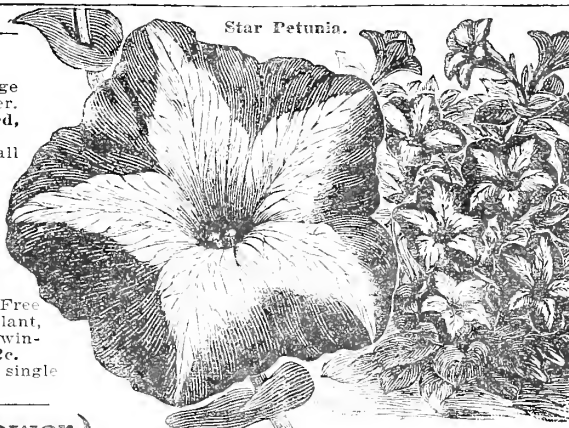
Spencer Hybrid Sweet Peas.



### EARLIEST OF ALL SWEET PEAS

This is the very earliest, always coming into bloom nearly two weeks in advance of any other variety. It is so early that two crops of flowers may be grown in one season by simply planting early in the spring and those that go to seed, if sown in August, will produce flowers in the fall. Try them. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 20c.

Star Petunia.

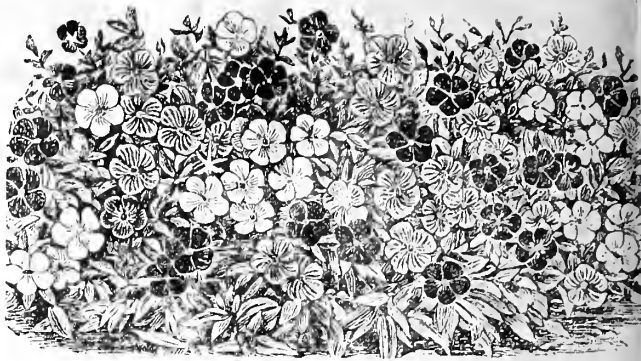


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## MILLS GORGEOUS PHLOX

A bed of these Annual Phlox will surpass almost anything else in dazzling brilliancy. Plants grow about 18 inches high, produce large trusses of immense flowers of various colors, such as deep rose, soft pink, maroon, purple, lavender, dazzling scarlet, pure white and many other shades. Gorgeous Mixture cannot be equaled. All colors, mixed. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c; 6 pkts., 20c.



Bed of Mills Gorgeous Phlox.

## ANEMONE

(WINDFLOWER)

A very beautiful hardy perennial, which blossoms very early in spring, and has a greater variety of colors than any other flower. Large attractive blossoms. Fine Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

ORDER YOUR SEEDS EARLY

## VERBENAS

**MILLS GIANT VERBENAS.**—These Giant Verbenas produce the most beautiful flowers of gigantic size in a wider range of colors than any other Verbena ever offered. A few plants will make a display of colors long to be remembered. Try them. All colors. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### Canterbury Bells

This is a popular, well-known, large, bell-shaped flower, known everywhere. The cup and saucer varieties produce beautiful single flowers, three inches in length, saucers three and four inches across. They grow like pyramids, two feet high, and are often covered with one or two hundred flowers, white striped, lavender and pink, for weeks during the summer.

Finest Single, Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

Finest Double, Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



## MILLS GIANT VERBENAS

## ZINNIAS

**Giant Mammoth Mixed** This is a new class of Zinnias, giant in size, and has perfect double flowers of the richest and most varied colors and shapes, measuring nearly 5 inches across, of intense brilliant colors. The plants grow about 3 feet high and bloom freely. All Colors, Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**Fairy Zinnias** Called Fairy Zinnias because the plant is dwarf, compact and covered, during the summer and until frost sets in, with very small, perfectly double flowers, embracing a wide range of colors. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

**Striped Zebra** Produces all colors, such as orange, pink, yellow, crimson, violet, scarlet, white, rose, and many are striped with different shades. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

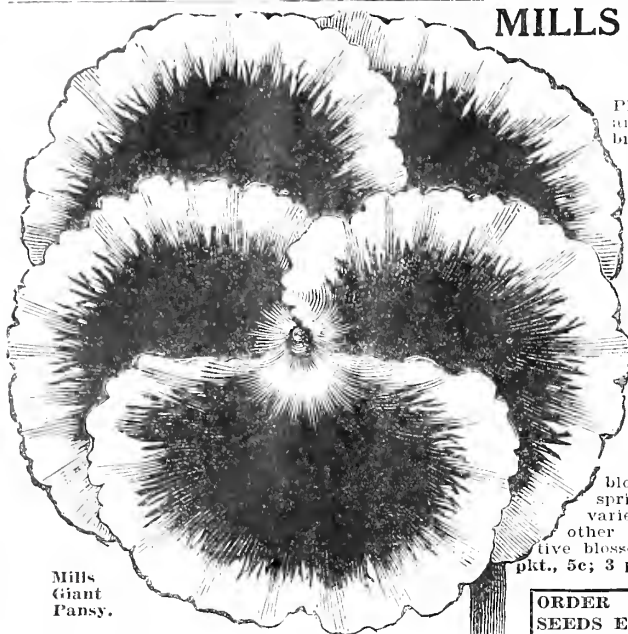
**New Pompones** Color pure white through cream and buff to clear cream yellow, and pinks to deepest crimson and fiery coppers and reds. All Colors, Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### Choice Mixed Pansies

A superior mixture of all varieties, giving a remarkably fine display of colors. It includes the solid colors, all shaded sorts, some bordered or edged, some striped and some blotched, the blossoms slightly smaller than the giant flowered sorts, but remarkably free flowering. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### Tufted or Bedding "Pansy-Violet"

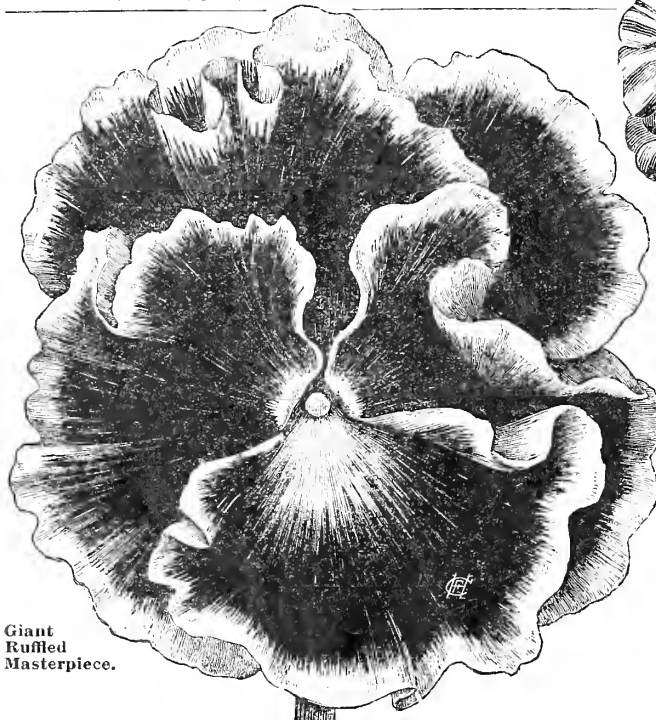
These are very popular for bedding. They produce beautiful Pansy-like blossoms 2 to 2½ in. across, of the most brilliant colors, lemon, crimson, orange, maroon, purple, lavender, silver, gray, rose, blue, white, black and many other shades. Flowers are borne on long stems. All Colors, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



Mills Giant Pansy.

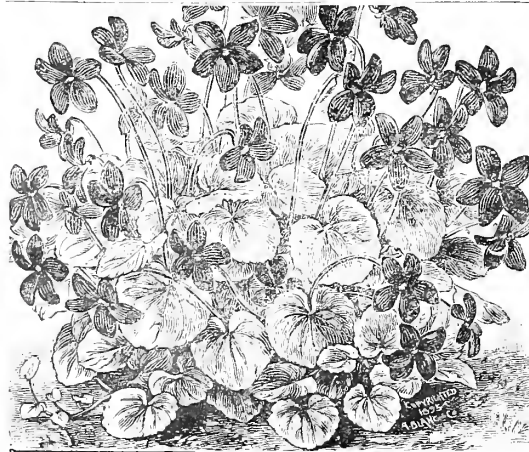
I believe this to be the best collection of Giant Pansies ever offered. The illustration gives a good idea of size of flowers and the rich and varied coloring. All who grow these Giant Pansies will have flowers that will surprise their neighbors. They must be grown to be appreciated.

All Colors, Mixed, pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.

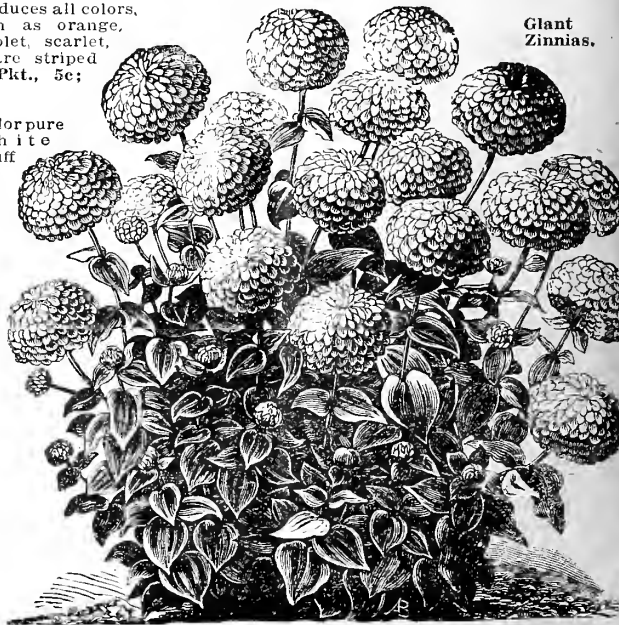


Giant Ruffled Masterpiece.

**GIANT RUFFLED MASTERPIECE.**—A new type in Pansies, producing Giant flowers of the most distinct and striking character. The petals have a rich velvety substance and being ruffled gives them the effect of a double flower. Colors range through all shades known in Pansies. On account of the richness and beauty of colors and distinct character of petals, we consider them a real curiosity. All Colors, Mixed, pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.



Tufted or Bedding "Pansy-Violets."



Giant Zinnias.

Giant Mammoth Mixed Zinnias.





Royal Beauty Portulaca.

### Japanese Hop Vine

This is a handsome vine, growing from twenty to thirty feet in a season. The leaves are striped and variegated, making a charming effect. It is a rapid summer climber and one of the best plants for covering verandas, trellises, etc. Heat, drouth and insects do not trouble it. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

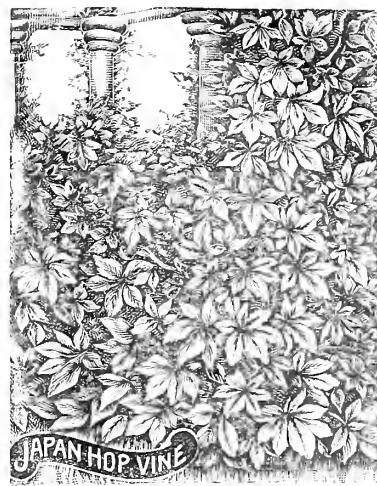
### Royal Beauty Portulaca

This is a grand new variety, being recently introduced, and has given great satisfaction wherever grown. The flowers are large, while the colors are very brilliant, of red, orange, white, maroon, yellow, and various other shades, impossible to describe. A bed of these double portulacas makes a magnificent sight.

All Colors, Mixed, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### Cobea (Scandens)

A rapid growing climber, attaining a height of fifteen to thirty feet, produces rich purple flowers. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



### Japanese Kudzu Vine

(Jack and the Bean Stalk Vine)

This comes from Japan, the land so productive of curious and ornamental flowers. With ordinary treatment it will grow seventy feet in one season, filling the air with the fragrance of its large clusters of wisteria like blossoms. It requires very little care and in three months this wonderful vine progresses as much as most vines do in five years. It is perfectly hardy, lasts for years. Foliage is large, shaped like the leaf of a bean. Flowers are a pleasing shade of purple. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

### JAPANESE GIANT FLOWERING DOLICHOS

(Hycinth Bean)

This annual climber grows about ten feet high, branching out well from the bottom, producing an abundance of sweet pea like blossoms, borne in long wisteria like clusters, nearly a foot in length. The foliage is very dense and is insect proof. Mixed Colors, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.



Japanese Morning Glories



### Wild Cucumber Vine

(Echinocystis Lobata)

One of the quickest growing climbers in my list. Grows 30 feet in one season, is thickly dotted with pretty white fragrant flowers, followed by an abundance of ornamental, prickly seed pods. To cover unsightly buildings and fences nothing can equal it.

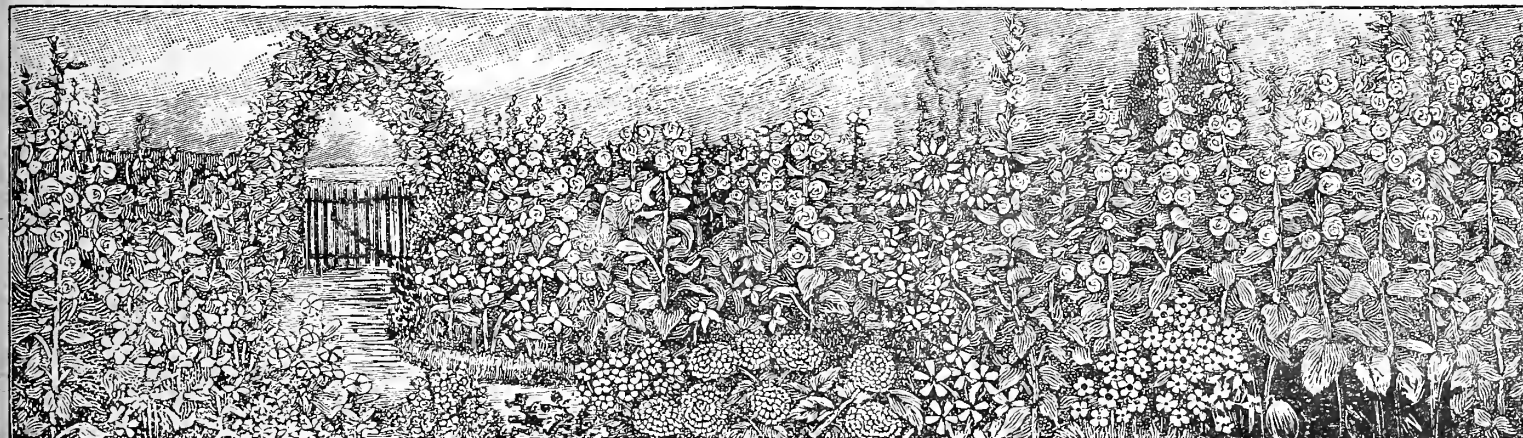
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### Japanese Morning Glory

The flowers are of gigantic size and the colorings and markings are beyond description, ranging from snow-white to black-purple with all the possible intermediate shades, such as pink, fiery red, rose, copper, red earmine, crimson, deep blue, pale blue, royal purple, striped, flaked and splashed. The most attractive Morning Glory. All

Colors, Single and Double. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 12c.

## MILLS WILD FLOWER GARDEN MIXTURE Easily Grown, Quick Results, Varied and Profuse Display of Flowers Throughout the Season



I have made up a great mixture of flower seeds, including nearly all flowers that will grow and flower from seed the first year. This selection embraces several hundred varieties of easy growing and pretty flowers suitable for a wild flower garden. They are excellent to sow in any corner of the garden

or along fences or any unsightly places where they will grow and bloom freely. Without doubt this collection contains more varieties of beautiful flowers than any other on the market. The results are both surprising and charming.

Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c; 6 pkts., 18c; 1/2 oz., 30c.



# PLANT DEPARTMENT

## Monthly Everblooming Tea Roses

**PINK MAMAN COCHET (4).**—One of the best and most beautiful varieties ever grown and quite hardy. Flowers are of enormous size, very full and of great strength and substance. Color, rich, coral pink, elegantly shaded with rosy crimson; has broad, thick, shell-like petals and makes superb long, pointed buds, immense bloomer, continues loaded with buds and flowers the whole season. 18c each; 3 for 45c; postpaid.

**WHITE MAMAN COCHET (3).**—Identical with parent Maman Cochet in all respects except in color, which is snow-white, with sometimes a faint tinge of blush. Best white kind for open ground culture. Very vigorous and hardy. 18c each; 3 for 45c; postpaid.

**KILLARNEY (1).**—Flowers are very large, petals often measuring 2½ inches deep; of rich rosy-pink in color. Buds large, long and pointed. Plant is a vigorous grower, free bloomer and entirely hardy in vicinity of New York or further south. 18c each; 3 for 45c; postpaid.

**KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA (2).**—Perfect in bud and open flower. A continuous bloomer, color being snow-white. 18c each; 3 for 45c.

**GRUSS AN TEPLITZ, Virginia R. Cox or Crimson Hermosa (5).**—Dark rich



I have selected some of the best Roses, Hardy Shrubs, Berries and choice Fruits, and offer good strong plants and trees at the lowest prices. Every garden should have some of my choice fruit trees, which can be made a source of pleasure and profit.

crimson, passing to velvety, fiery red. Flowers large, full and sweet; blooms constantly. 18c each; 3 for 45c; postpaid.

**WHITE KILLARNEY (8).**—In form, size and freedom of bloom is the same as the famous Pink Killarney, but is more double. Flowers are waxy white. 18c each; 3 for 45c; postpaid.

**LA FRANCE.**—Most popular Rose in cultivation. Both of lovely form; exceedingly sweet; color, fine peach blossom, elegantly clouded with rosy flesh. Begins to bloom while very small, and continues until stopped by freezing. 18c each; 3 for 45c; postpaid.

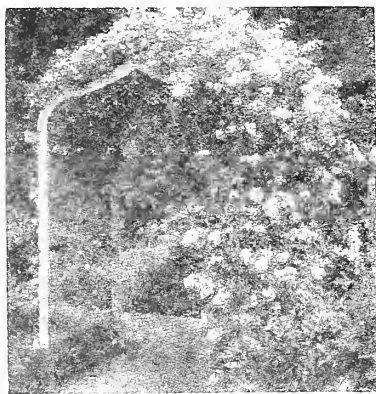
## Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses

**AMERICAN BEAUTY.**—One of the grandest, most beautiful, constant-blooming Roses. Immense buds and flowers, rich glowing crimson. Price, 18c each; 3 for 45c; postpaid.

**HUGH DICKSON.**—Vigorous grower, handsome foliage, deep red on the young shoots, and turning to a deep green with age. A free perpetual bloomer. Color, brilliant crimson shaded with scarlet; very large. 18c each; 3 for 45c.

**WHITE AMERICAN BEAUTY (Frau Karl Druschki).**—Flowers are immense in size. An ordinary plant will produce hundreds of magnificent flowers, which are full, very deep and double, petals broad and long. The buds are egg-shaped,

**STRONG, FIELD-GROWN, 2-YEAR-OLD PLANTS OF ANY MONTHLY EVERBLOOMING TEA OR HARDY HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES, 40c each; 4 for \$1.50**



Everblooming Crimson Rambler.

## Hardy Climbing Roses

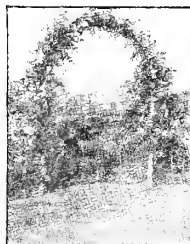
**EVERBLOOMING CRIMSON RAMBLER.**—Is found in almost every flower garden, as it is perfectly hardy in all parts of this country, and there appears to be something lacking in the appearance of the well-kept residence if it is not found trailing its way, displaying its clusters of beautiful crimson flowers, about the veranda. 18c each; 3 for 45c; postpaid.

**DOROTHY PERKINS.**—This beautiful, climbing Rose could be called Pink Crimson Rambler, for it is just like it except in color, which is a most beautiful Shell-Pink. Flowers are large size, borne in clusters of from 10 to 12, and are very double. It is exceedingly hardy, vigorous growing, making a growth of 10 to 12 feet in a season; very free bloomer; flowers sweet scented. 18c each; 3 for 45c.

**WHITE DOROTHY PERKINS.**—A pure white sport from the well-known Dorothy Perkins, which it exactly resembles in habit of growth. Is a splendid companion for the pink variety, as it flowers at the same time. Was awarded a gold medal by the National Rose Society of England, also given an award of merit at the Temple Show, in London, England. 18c each; 3 for 45c; postpaid.

**THOUSAND BEAUTIES.**—This beautiful novelty surpasses all other climbing Roses, both in growth, foliage and beauty. Blooms profusely from June to end of July and the colors run through different shades: pink, rose, carmine, with various tints of crimson, white, etc. Imagine a Rose producing on the same bush so many different colored flowers; impossible to describe or even picture the varieties. A single cluster of flowers is a bouquet of itself, hence its name, "Thousand Beauties." It is hardy, a strong, vigorous grower, nearly thornless. A grand rose for porches, trellises, etc. 18c each; 3 for 45c.

**STRONG, FIELD-GROWN, 2-YR.-OLD PLANTS, 40c each; 4 for \$1.50; by express.**



Dorothy Perkins.

## Four Baby Rambler Roses

**BABY RAMBLER, Crimson.**—A seedling of the well-known Crimson Rambler, with which it is identical in all but habit of growth and blooming, being a pronounced dwarf, very quickly reaching a mature growth of eighteen inches to two feet, which it rarely exceeds, as a bedding or border plant it is incomparable; a superb, rich crimson in color, blooming in as immense clusters as its parent, the Crimson Rambler. Grown as a pot plant, it is always in bloom.

**BABY DOROTHY, Pink.**—It is the color of that charming climbing rose, Dorothy Perkins, hence the name, "Baby Dorothy." It is perfectly hardy and blooms from early spring until late in the fall. As a pink bedding rose it has no equal. Has produced 100 blooms to the cluster on three-year-old plants.

**WHITE BABY RAMBLER (True).**—This is identical with the two above, except in the color of the flower, which is pure snow white; perfectly hardy.

**MRS. WM. H. CUTBUSH.**—A new Baby Rose of an entirely distinct color, light pink. The flowers are borne in huge trusses throughout the entire summer and autumn, and completely cover the entire plant. Fully as free flowering as the other roses of this type.

**Price of any Four Baby Ramblers, 18c each; 3 for 45c; postpaid. Strong, field-grown 2-year-olds, 40c each; 4 for \$1.50; by express.**



Baby Rambler.

## The Wonderful Blue Rose

### VEILCHENBLAU OR VIOLET-BLUE

The Blue Rose is one of the most rampant growers I have ever seen, covering a large porch in a single season. The flowers are borne in loose clusters and are of a delightful shade of blue—something entirely different from any Rose in cultivation. It is hardy everywhere; a grand grower; a marvelous bloomer and is one of the most popular Roses in my entire collection.

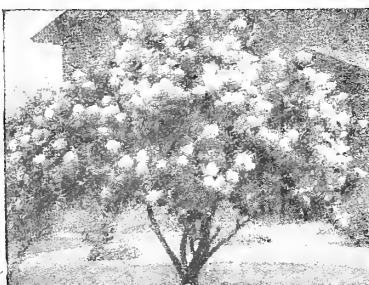
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## MILLS HARDY SHRUBS

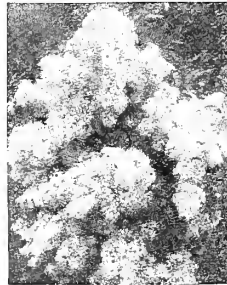
**HYDRANGEA—Paniculata Grandiflora.**—One of the finest hardy shrubs ever introduced. Bush attains a large size and is in full bloom from August to October. Blossoms pure white, changing later to a pinkish hue. 18c each; 3 for 45c. Large size, 35c; 4 for \$1.25; by Ex.

**SMOKE TREE—Purple Fringe.**—The large masses of misty, purplish flowers, which cover the whole bush in June, give it the name of Smoke Tree, as it resembles very much a cloud of smoke in the distance. The leaves change to various colors in the fall. 18c each; 3 for 45c; postpaid. Large size, 35c; 4 for \$1.25; by Ex.

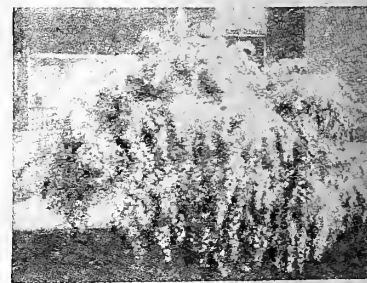
**SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI.**—It forms a round, graceful bush with arching branches which in June are covered from end to end with beautiful white blossoms, giving the bush a most graceful and beautiful appearance. The illustration will give you an idea of its free flowering qualities. 18c each; 3 for 45c. Large size, 35c; 4 for \$1.25; by express.



Hydrangea P. G.—Good for Planting Alone or in Masses.

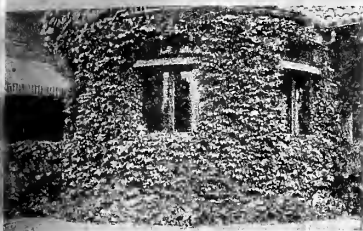


Smoke Tree.



Spirea Van Houttei (Most Graceful)—the One Best Shrub.





Boston Ivy.

## Weigela

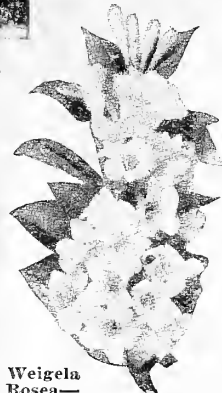
**CANDIDA.**—A strong, erect grower; flowers pure white, produced in great profusion in June and continue to bloom throughout the summer.

**EVA RATHKE.**—Flowers brilliant crimson; flowers twice in one season.

**ROSEA.**—Hardy and beautiful shrub flowering in May a profusion of rose-colored flowers.

**VARIEGATED.**—Fine, variegated foliage and lasts the entire season.

Any of the four Weigelas, 18c each; 3 for 45c. Large size, 35c; 4 for \$1.25; Ex.



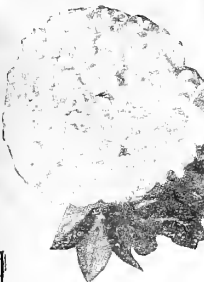
Weigela  
Rosea—  
One of the Best.



Barberry.

**BOSTON IVY.**—It clings to walls by little adhesive disks and forms a dense, mat-like foliage, spreading rapidly. In the autumn it glows with colors as brilliant as the maple. 30c each; 4 for \$1.10.

**JAPAN BARBERRY.**—Dwarf Hedge. Has rich green leaves that change to a fiery crimson in autumn. It makes a very handsome hedge. Plant about 12 inches apart. Plants, 18c each; 3 for 45c; postpaid; 2-yr. size, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz., by express.



Snowball.

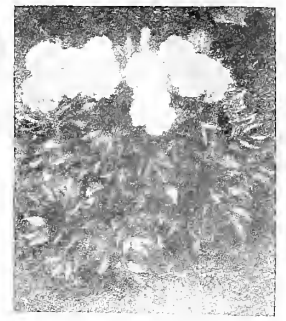
## Hardy Phlox

Perfectly hardy, succeeding in any garden soil, and producing magnificent spikes of showy and lasting flowers year after year. Height, 1 to 2 feet. I offer a good selection of colors in a mixture, such as Bright Red, White with Crimson Eye, Deep Crimson, Orange Salmon with Purplish Crimson Center, etc. Price dormant roots, 15c each; 6 for 80c; 12 for \$1.25; postpaid.



Hardy Phlox.

**Snowball**  
**SNOWBALL OR GUILDER ROSE.**  
A well-known old shrub bearing large balls of snow-white flowers in June. Perfectly hardy, 18c each; 3 for 45c. Large size, 35c.



Peony—Beautiful White with a Spicy Fragrance. The Best Peony.

## Peony

Rich, glossy foliage of a beautiful deep green. Flowers early in the month of June. I offer white, pink and crimson.

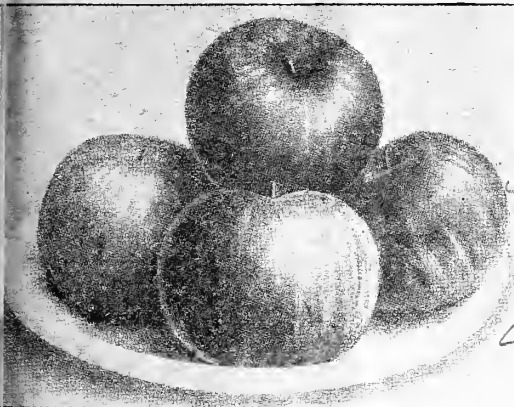
Price, one plant, 35c; or one of each kind, 3 plants, \$1.00, postpaid; or 4 of each, making 12 plants in all, for \$3.50, by express.

## FRUIT TREES

### APPLES

**DUCHESS OF OLDENBURG.**—A large, beautiful apple; roundish, tender, juicy, pleasant. A kitchen apple of the best quality. Tree a fine vigorous grower, a sure cropper, hardy as an oak. Aug. and Sept.

**GRAVESTONE.**—Orange yellow with stripes of light and dark red; tender, juicy, aromatic, sub-acid. Good size. Sept. to Nov.



The Duchess of Oldenburg. The Most Widely Planted Summer Apple.

Flesh is yellowish, firm, crisp, tender and sub-acid. October to February.

**NORTHERN SPY.**—Fruit is large and very attractive, of bright red color, with a delicious bloom; flesh is very juicy, tender and excellent for dessert or culinary uses.

**RED ASTRACHAN.**—Tree hardy and regular bearer; a very vigorous grower; fruit large, roundish, nearly covered with deep crimson, overspread with a thick bloom; juicy, rich and beautiful. July and August.

**EARLY HARVEST.**—Medium to large size; pale yellow; tender, with a mild, no flavor. Tree an erect grower and a good bearer. Excellent for orchard and garden; one of first to ripen. August.

Price of 2-year apple trees, any variety except Dwarf, 35c each; 12 for \$4.00; by express.

**DWARF APPLES.**—Dwarf Apples commence bearing fruit the second year after planting, and as they do not attain as large a size as standard trees, they are especially desirable for village or city gardens. Heretofore city people have been obliged to buy all their apples because the size of their garden plot would not enable them to plant standard trees.

Price of Dwarf Apple Trees, 50c each; 12 for \$5.00 by express. The varieties are Baldwin, Wealthy and Yellow Transparent.

**WEALTHY.**—Tree is hardy and bears well and early. A tree four years old has been known to produce three bushels of apples. Fruit is large and round, covered with dark red, flesh tender, juicy, white. Quality good. Oct. to Jan.

**BALDWIN.**—Without question the leading commercial variety in New England, New York, Ontario, Ohio, Michigan, and in many sections from Colorado to Washington.

**RHODE ISLAND GREENING.**—This apple ranks next in popularity to the Baldwin. The skin is thick and tough, and grass-green or yellow in color. The

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**EARLY HARVEST.**—Medium to large size; pale yellow; tender, with a mild, no flavor. Tree an erect grower and a good bearer. Excellent for orchard and garden; one of first to ripen. August.

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**DWARF APPLES.**—Dwarf Apples commence bearing fruit the second year after planting, and as they do not attain as large a size as standard trees, they are especially desirable for village or city gardens. Heretofore city people have been obliged to buy all their apples because the size of their garden plot would not enable them to plant standard trees.

Price of Dwarf Apple Trees, 50c each; 12 for \$5.00 by express. The varieties are Baldwin, Wealthy and Yellow Transparent.

## PEACHES

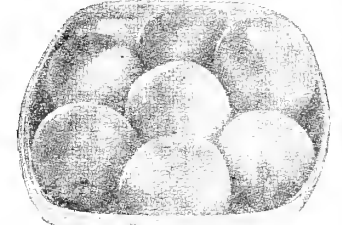
**ELBERTA.**—The leader of all Peaches and the greatest commercial variety on the market. It will thrive where any peach can be grown. Large, yellow, red cheek, juicy and high flavor, flesh yellow, freestone. Season early September.

**CRAWFORD'S EARLY.**—A magnificent large yellow Peach of good quality. Tree vigorous and prolific. Freestone. Early September.

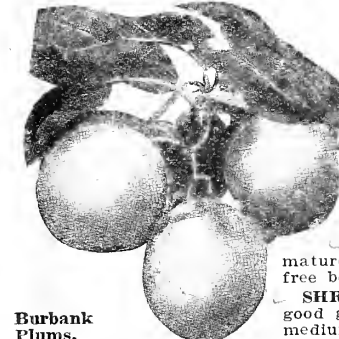
**CHAMPION.**—A very large Peach, sometimes measuring 10 inches in circumference. It is very hardy and productive. The fruit is fine flavor, sweet rich and juicy. Skin is creamy white with a red cheek, very handsome. Freestone. Ripens end of Aug.

**CROSBY, called the Frost-Proof Peach.**—A handsome yellow Peach with remarkably small pit, that bears regular crops north of the Peach Belt. Quality superb; season follows quickly after Early Crawford. The strongest claim for its superiority made over other varieties is the frost-proof character of its fruit buds.

Price of Strong Trees, any of above varieties of Peaches, 30c each; 12 for \$3.50; 100 Trees for \$22.50, by express.



Elberta Peaches.



Burbank Plums.

Strong 2-year-old Trees, any variety Plums offered, 50c each; 12 for \$5.00; by express.

## PLUMS

**BURBANK.**—It is one of the handsomest plums on the market and always finds a ready sale. Fruit is large, reddish-purple. Flesh yellow, juicy and good. The tree is very vigorous.

**ABUNDANCE.**—Fruit is large, showy and beautiful, of a bright cherry-red. Flesh yellow, firm, juicy, sweet and very delicious. Stone is small and parts freely from the flesh. Its season is very early. Tree vigorous and productive.

**GREEN GAGE.**—Yellowish green when mature; flesh pale green, melting, luscious, sweet; free bearer. Ripens middle of August.

**SHROPSHIRE DAMSON.**—Fruit oval. Tree a good grower and enormously productive. Fruit of medium size, produced in thick clusters or groups, dark purple color, esteemed for preserving. October.

Price of Strong 2-year-old Trees, any variety Plums offered, 50c each; 12 for \$5.00; by express.

## PEARS

**BARTLETT.**—Bartlett is by far the best and most popular of all Pears, both for market and home use. Its flesh is buttery and melting, and has a rich musky flavor. You will never make a mistake by planting the Bartlett. Aug. and Sept.

**KIEFFER.**—Large, rich, golden yellow, sometimes tinted red on the sun exposed side. Tree a most vigorous grower, an early bearer, one of the most resistant to blight, very prolific.

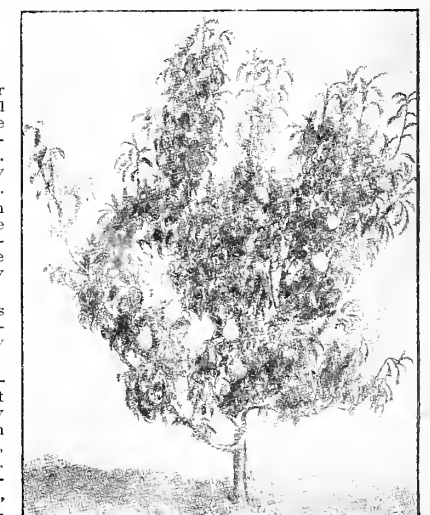
**SECKEL.**—Beautiful and delicious pear; the richest and highest flavored pears known. Tree is very productive. October.

**DUCHESS D'ANGOULEME.**—Good cropper, often fruiting first season. Fruit large, frequently weighing a pound. A dull greenish yellow, spotted russet, flesh white, rich and good quality. Oct. and Nov.

Price of strong 2-year-old Standard Pear Trees, any variety offered, 40c each; 12 for \$4.50, by express.

**DWARF PEAR TREE.**—The Dwarf Pear, like the Dwarf Apple, bears fruit very early, does not grow so large a tree as the standard trees. Although the tree is dwarf, the fruit is as large as those produced by standard trees.

Dwarf Pear Trees, 50c each; 12 for \$5.00; by express. I offer Bartlett, Duchess d'Angouleme and Kieffer.



Dwarf Pear Tree—Bartlett. They are Ideal for Planting in Small Gardens.

## CHERRIES

**EARLY RICHMOND.**—This hardy cherry fruits on young trees soon after planting; exceedingly productive. Fruit is medium size, round and dark red. The flesh is tender, juicy and sub-acid. Ripens in June.

**MONTMORENCY.**—A good shipper, very attractive, and brings a good price. Canning factories buy hundreds of tons. Fruit is good sized, fine flavored, of a bright, shining red. Ripens 10 days after Early Richmond. Flesh sub-acid, of fine quality.

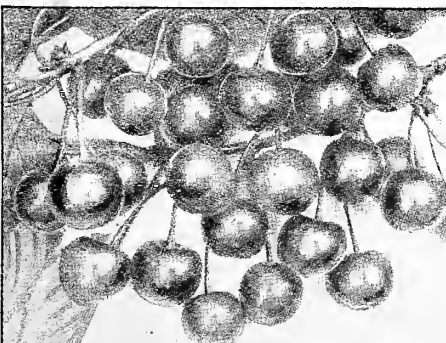
## Sweet Cherries

**BLACK TARTARIAN.**—Large, black, heart-shaped, tender, juicy sweet cherry. The tree is upright, a dense grower and a regular bearer of immense crops. Fruit ripens last of June or first of July.

**GOVERNOR WOOD.**—Fruit large, tender, juicy and of fine quality. The tree ripens in June and hangs well on the tree.

**LAMBERT.**—The skin is dark purplish-red, almost jet-black when ripe. Flesh is firm, rich and juicy. The tree is hardy, a strong grower and an enormous bearer.

Strong 2-year-old Trees, any variety Cherries offered, 60c each; 12 for \$6.00; by express.



Early Richmond Cherries.

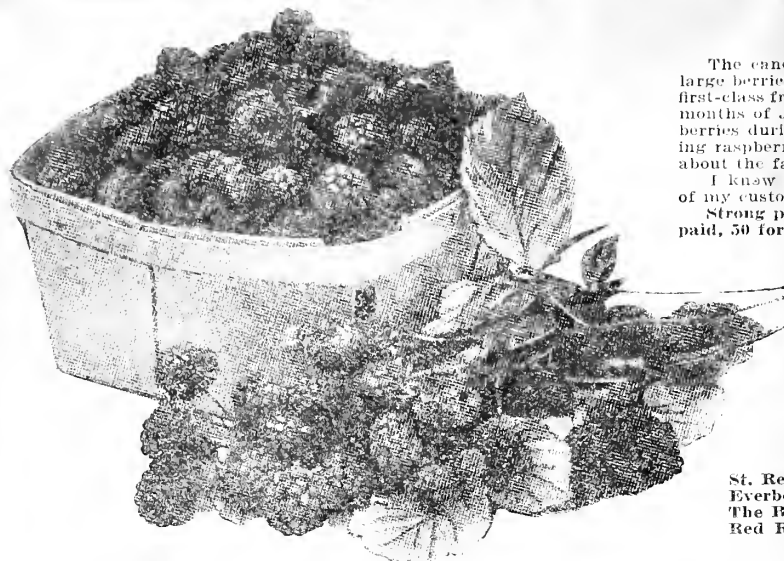


## New Everbearing Tree Raspberry

The canes branch like trees, and every branch is laden down with its heavy crop of large berries, which always bring the highest price in the markets, where nothing but strict first-class fruit is wanted. The last season's canes had an enormous load of berries during months of June and July, and the current year's growth, or new vines, bore a heavy crop berries during the months of August, September and October, making it an almost everbearing raspberry. The flavor of the fall crop is just as fine as the June crop, and saying nothing about the fall crop, I consider this one of the most profitable varieties grown.

I know this berry will create a great sensation wherever grown, and I want every one of my customers who grows fruit of any kind, either for market or home use, to try this one.

Strong plants, 15c each; 3 for 40c; 6 for 70c; 12 for \$1.20; postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 50 for \$2.50; 100 for \$4.00.



St. Regis  
Everbearing—  
The Best  
Red Raspberry.

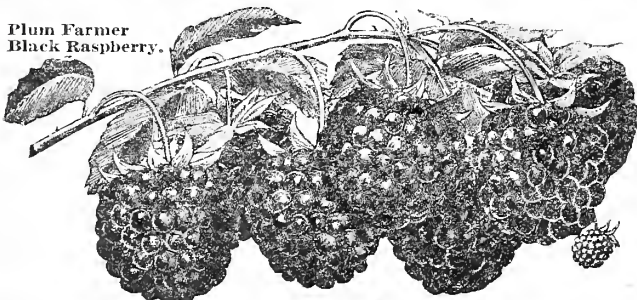
### St. Regis Everbearing Raspberry

**RASPBERRIES FOR 4 MONTHS**—That's what you get when you plant St. Regis—the new everbearing variety. Moreover, they are not only raspberries, but raspberries of the very highest grade.

St. Regis yields a crop of fruit the season it is planted. Plants set in early April gave ripe berries on June 20th of the same year. For four weeks thereafter the yield was heavy, and the canes continued to produce fruit freely without intermission until the middle of October. The berries are large and beautiful, firm and full-flavored, bright crimson, of large size and of surpassing quality—rich, sugary, with full raspberry flavor. They are of exceedingly meaty, firm texture and keep in good condition longer, after being gathered, than any other red raspberry. As a shipper, it is unexcelled. St. Regis is of pure American blood and of ironclad hardihood, the canes enduring the severest cold uninjured, and are wonderfully prolific.

Price of Strong Plants, 15c each; 3 for 40c; 6 for 70c; 12 for \$1.20; by mail, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 50 for \$2.50; 100 for \$4.00.

Plum Farmer  
Black Raspberry.

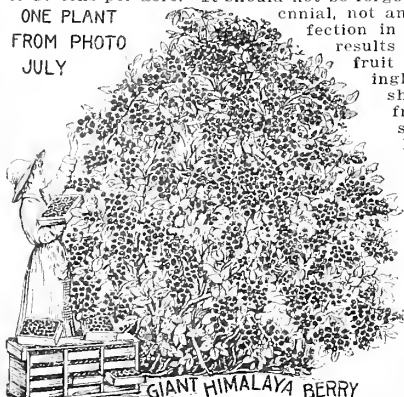


**Plum Farmer Black Raspberry** A variety from Northern New York, maturing the entire crop in a very short period, making one of the most profitable early market sorts. The berries are thick-meat, firm, large and very attractive when picked ready for market. Worthy of trial in the home garden. Price of Plants, 15c each; 3 for 40c; 6 for 60c; 12 for \$1.00; postpaid; 50 for \$3.00, by express.

**Everbearing Black Raspberry** This is a wonderful black raspberry and will actually bear fruit from June until killed by frost in the fall. The vines are literally loaded with fruit in all stages—from bloom to ripe fruit. It creates great surprise everywhere it is grown, for it has no equal as an everbearing variety. Price of Plants, 15c each; 3 for 40c; 6 for 70c; 12 for \$1.20; postpaid; 50 for \$3.00, by express.

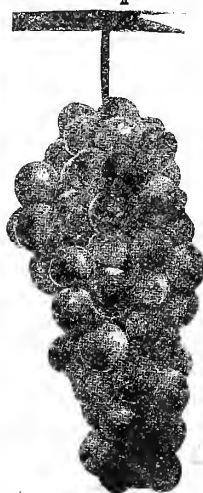
**Giant Himalaya Berry** This wonderful berry was recently introduced from the cold regions of the Himalaya Mountains. There are several different forms of it, but this seems to be the only one of general value. It grows like a grapevine and can be trained to a trellis of any kind. The plant is extremely hardy, and for rapid and immense growth it is almost unbelievable. A single cane, under favorable conditions, will, if permitted, often reach a growth of fifty feet in a single season. Sprouts do not come from the ground, like the blackberry, but start from the one root. These canes, when one or more years old, send out fruit laterals from sixteen to forty inches long, which bear enormous crops, from 6 to 10 tons per acre. It should not be forgotten that the plant is a perennial, not an annual, and comes to perfection in three years. For the best results it should be treated as a fruit tree, and pruned accordingly. About four canes should be allowed to grow from a root and trained to suit. After reaching the length desired, the tip should be pinched off so that the vine will not expend any more energy in that direction, but will give attention to fruit bearing. Blossom is shell-pink, the size of a peach bloom. Berries jet black, oblong in shape, port wine flavor. No other berry will so amply repay the labor expended upon it.

ONE PLANT  
FROM PHOTO  
JULY



Good, strong plants by mail, carefully packed, 15c each; 3 for 40c; 6 for 70c; by express, not prepaid, 15 for \$1.00; 25 for \$1.50.

### Grapes



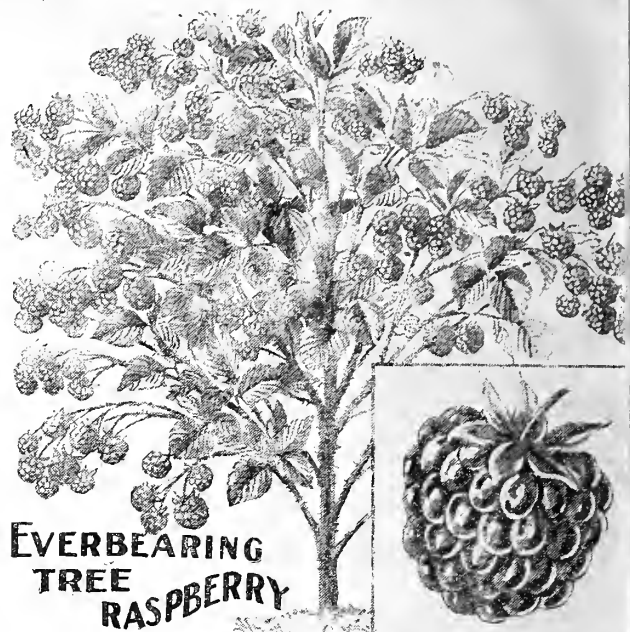
**CONCORD.**—Black, early, most popular. Bunch large and compact. Berries large, skin tender, flesh juicy, sweet; pulp tender. Vine a strong grower, hardy, healthy, productive.

**DELAWARE.**—Bunch of medium size, very compact, berries medium round. Skin is thin, dark red color, flesh is tender, juicy and exceedingly sweet; productive. Ripens early in September.

**NIAGARA WHITE.**—Bunch and berries large, greenish white, changing to a pale yellow when fully ripe. Skin thin but tough, quality much like Concord.

**BRIGHTON.**—Red. Bunch large, fruit above medium to large, round. Excellent flavor and quality. One of the earliest in ripening.

Price of any four Grapes, good strong plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.15; postpaid; 15 for \$2.00 by express.



EVERBEARING  
TREE  
RASPBERRY

**CUTHBERT OR QUEEN OF THE MARKET.**—Fruit is large, firm, luscious, and produced in the greatest profusion. Color deep, rich crimson. Ripens from July 10 to 20, continuing long in fruit. Entirely hardy, yields heavy crops. Strong plants, 15c each; 3 for 40c; 6 for 50c; 15 for \$1.00; postpaid; 100 for \$4.00, by express.

**GIANT CARDINAL RASPBERRY.**—This wonderful berry is a surprise in many ways—its great growth, extreme hardness, and the exceeding productiveness of its choice purple, pure flavored berries. It will pay to grow it everywhere. Leading horticulturists say that it is one of the wonders of the century, exceeding all others, and will add millions to the wealth of the farmers of the country, because of its great vigor and exceeding productiveness. Plants, 15c each; 3 for 40c; 6 for 50c; 15 for \$1.00; postpaid; 100 for \$4.00, by express.

### Gooseberries

**DOWNING.**—Largest and best of native American varieties. Of fine quality, beautiful appearance, vigorous growth, and is free from mildew. Has no spines, color transparent, tending to yellow. Bush upright, keeps fruit from sand. Enormously productive. Within a few years, 1 acre can be made to bring \$500. Unsurpassed for canning.

**HOUGHTON.**—Medium size, pale red, sweet and juicy; vigorous grower, abundant bearer, free from mildew. Sweet, good in flavor and quality.

**PEARL.**—The most prolific. One bush produced 2,500 berries. Free from mildew; larger than the Downing. Color is light green and quality first-class. A valuable variety for home use or market.

Price of any of the three Gooseberries, 30c each, postpaid; 5 for \$1.25; 10 for \$2.00; 100 for \$12.00, by express.



Downing Gooseberry.

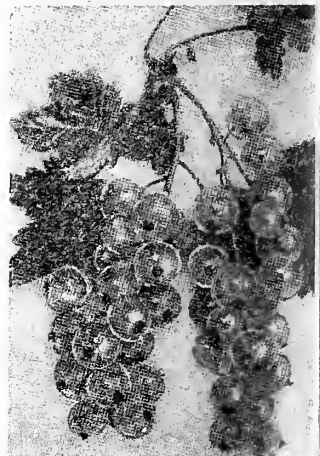
### Currants

**WHITE GRAPE.**—The best of all white currants and it should be planted in every garden, owing to the great beauty of the fruit as compared with other varieties. My plants are strong, well-rooted plants that will bear fruit early.

**FAY'S PROLIFIC** is the best currant known. Fruit large, bright red, and excellent flavor; less acid than Cherry. It has a long stem, which admits of rapid picking, and is enormously productive. One of the most valuable fruits of recent introduction. Comes into bearing early.

**LEE'S PROLIFIC.**—The largest berry and bunch, and best in quality and productiveness of any black variety yet introduced. Fruit large and fine quality. Black. Is enormously productive.

Price of any of the three Currants, 30c each, postpaid; 5 for \$1.25; 10 for \$2.00; 100 for \$10.00, by express.



White Grape Currant.



# Mills Early Hardy Prolific Strawberry

Earliest of All

It's a Beauty



Mills Early Hardy Prolific Strawberry is a Beauty and Just the Berry for the Home Garden.

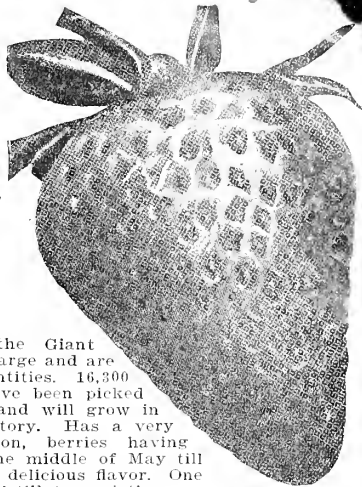
In all my experience in Strawberry growing, I have never found a variety to equal this one. It fruits most profusely; is the earliest of all varieties, and continues fruiting for a long period. The plants grow very strong and vigorous, while the fruits are large and uniform in size, of a rich, bright, crimson color and excellent flavor. It begins ripening very early in the season and continues to bear fruit until very late. The commercial grower who wants to keep up with the times and make money on early berries will be behind if he does not have a stock of these planted this spring. It continues to fruit day after day and when once grown will be a favorite. Be sure to give it a trial this season. Just the Berry for the home garden.

Plants, 6 for 30c; 15 for 60c; 30 for \$1.00; postpaid. By express, 100 for \$2.00.

# Kellogg's Prize Strawberry

The most wonderful Strawberry. The berries are sometimes as large as a hen's egg, very brightly colored, and the flavor is delicious. The plants bear abundantly. Among the summer fruiting varieties, this one is unquestionably the leader. In fact, its splendid qualities cannot be overestimated.

Plants, 10 for 30c; 20 for 50c; 50 for \$1.00; postpaid. By express, 100 for \$2.00.



# The Fendall Strawberry

Fendall is called the Giant Berry. Its fruits are large and are produced in great quantities. 16,300 quarts are said to have been picked from 1 acre. Hardy and will grow in a wide range of territory. Has a very lengthy fruiting season, berries having been gathered from the middle of May till July. The fruit has a delicious flavor. One of the most popular pistillate varieties.

Plants, 10 for 30c; 20 for 50c; 50 for \$1.00; postpaid. By express, 100 for \$2.00.

Kellogg's Prize Strawberry.

# The Norwood Strawberry

Claimed to be the largest Strawberry in existence. Plants grow strong and healthy. Berry is conic and regular in shape, quality is unsurpassed and the size unequaled, some attaining the enormous size of three inches in diameter. Four such berries would fill a box and be crowded. Color is bright red all the way through, growing darker with age, is firm, a good keeper and will ship well. It has a perfect blossom, holds its size well through the season and remains in bearing a long time. Plants, 6 for 30c; 15 for 60c; 30 for \$1.00; postpaid. By express, 100 for \$2.25.

**ASPARAGUS ROOTS.**—Every home garden should have a bed of Asparagus. It makes a return early in the spring before any other out-of-door crop can be marketed, and when a bed is well established, it will yield crops for a number of years. I offer good roots of Palmetto, Barr's Mammoth and Conover's Colossal at the following prices: 1 yr. old, 50 for 75c; 100 for \$1.25; postpaid. By express, 100, \$1.00; 500, \$4.50.

**RHUBARB ROOTS.**—Every garden should have a few Rhubarb Roots growing. Plants when established will last for years. I offer good roots, 15c each, 4 for 50c; 9 for \$1.00; postpaid.



# FALL OR EVERBEARING STRAWBERRIES

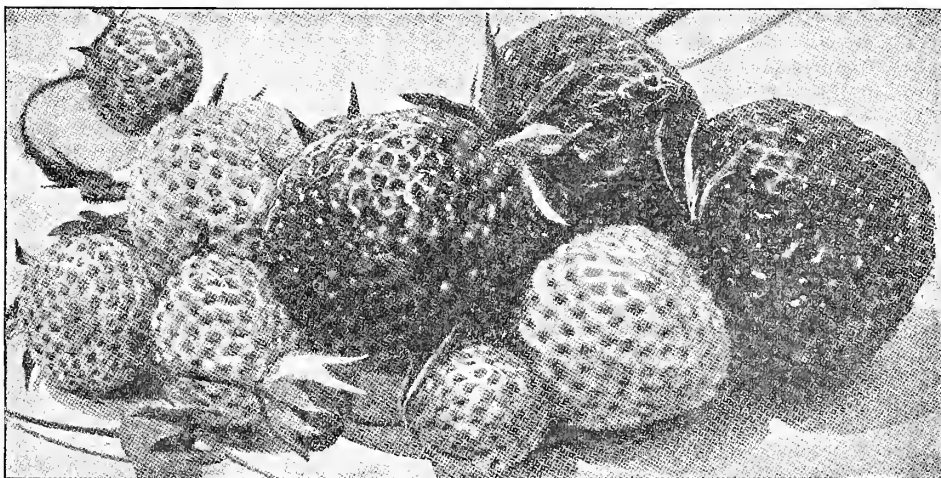
BERRIES UNTIL FROST COMES

**AMERICUS.**—This is the most wonderful everbearing strawberry ever produced. Outrivals its parents both in large size and productiveness. Plant very healthy and strong grower; gives fruit from May until hard freezing weather; size medium to large, bright red through and through. The berries literally lie about the plants in heaps and piles; flavor thought to be the height of perfection in quality.

You can have strawberry shortcake in October, in fact, till frost stops the growth of plants, and berries for three months instead of four or five weeks as formerly. Everyone should plant a few of this Fall Bearing variety.

**EASY TO GROW.** Everbearing Strawberries are easier to grow than standard kinds and succeed in all soils. All strawberries must have moisture and fertility to produce the largest and best berries, but the Everbearers can be planted on the more fertile soil and in low land where frost threatens the only crop of the ordinary kinds.

Good Strong Plants, 5 for 50c; 12 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.00; by mail, postpaid; 100, by express, \$7.00.

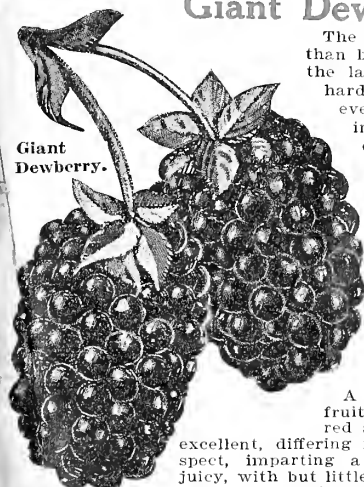


# Giant Dewberry

The Giant Dewberry is earlier than blackberries and as large as the largest of them. Canes are hardy and very prolific, thriving everywhere; of slender, trailing habit and free from disease or insect attacks. Fruit large, handsome, jet black, rich and melting. Ships and keeps well. Perfectly hardy, stands extremes of cold and heat. A very productive, pleasing berry. Strong plants, 3 for 25c; 7 for 50c; 15 for \$1.00; postpaid.

# Eldorado Blackberry

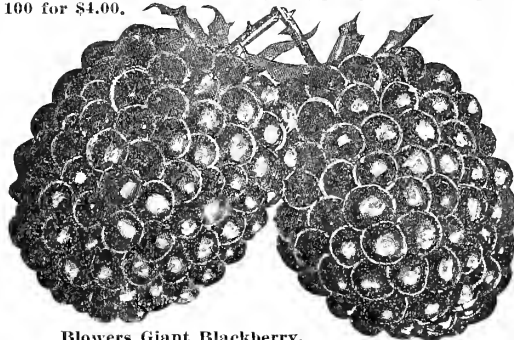
A strong, upright grower. The fruit is jet black, never coloring red after picking. The flavor is excellent, differing from all others in that respect, imparting a rich aroma, melting and juicy, with but little core. Eldorado is unquestionably one of the best commercial blackberries grown. The finest quality of the blackberry family. Strong Plants, 5 for 50c; 15 for \$1.00; postpaid; 100 for \$4.00, by express.



Giant Dewberry.

# Blowers Giant Blackberry

In describing it a large fruit grower says: "Blowers is such a sturdy grower that the canes, if unchecked, attain a height of 10 or 12 feet and are as hardy as an oak." The Blowers yields very heavily and for a long season. The fruit is large, handsome, and of superb quality, very juicy, with small seeds. Its canes have endured a temperature of 20 degrees below zero unharmed, and it has yielded at the rate of 280 bushels per acre. Begins to ripen in midseason, continuing a long time. Plants, 3 for 25c; 7 for 50c; 15 for \$1.00; postpaid. By express, 100 for \$4.00.



Blowers Giant Blackberry.

# Strawberry Raspberry



Beautiful fruit from Japan. Bush grows from 1½ to 2 feet high, is perfectly hardy and a rapid grower. Berries are produced on stems growing upright above the foliage, as shown. Always of a bright shining scarlet and larger than the largest strawberries. An immense yielder, producing an abundance of fruit; bears the first season. It is very attractive. Plants, 3 for 25c; 7 for 50c; 15 for \$1.00; postpaid.



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